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CONSUMER SURVEYS

Much interest has already been apparent from readers concerning the consumer surveys being undertaken with regard to nursery stock, particularly woody ornamentals, through staff members of the land grant colleges. Preliminary report of that in the northeast region was summarized in the March 15 issue of this magazine. Since has been received a report from the southeastern region from the University of Georgia college of agriculture.

While the purpose was much the same in both projects, an economic analysis of consumer purchases and preferences, the two were carried out differently, that in the northeast including surveys of homeowners through 12 states from Maine down to West Virginia, while the southern inquiry was concentrated in the city of Athens, the site of the university, where the number of recent home developments made possible comparison of the landscaping of new homes in various types of subdivisions and also with settled areas of the city.

As those who read the March 15 issue are aware, a most striking fact is the small proportion of homeowners who purchase nursery stock, particularly after the first year of ownership, and even more, the extremely small expenditure in proportion to income.

It was shown in the northeastern survey that the annual expenditure for nursery stock ranged from \$6 by families having an income under \$2,000 up to \$43 for those having an income of over \$10,000, the average of all being only \$30 per family. If one compares such figures with what a housewife spends on a single visit to a department store, a clothing store or other emporium, it is obvious that the nurseryman and garden store operator is low man on the totem pole.

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fact, there seems less importance whether the local nurseryman or garden center obtained 50 or 75 per cent of the local expenditure for nursery stock, in comparison with chain store, mail-order house, canvassers or other sources. If the average expenditure for nursery stock per family were to be increased only \$10 or \$20 a year, the industry would face a bigger boom than that engendered by the housing developments of the past decade.

The manner in which the annual expenditure can be increased was indirectly shown by the surveys, also. Queries of homeowners revealed that they relied on nurserymen and garden shop operators most largely, not only for their purchases, but also for information and for guidance in the selection of plants.

Asked how nurserymen could improve their selling of plants and services, more persons replied that greater information was needed than referred to lower prices, good stock and all the rest of the sales reasons.

This revelation of consumer surveys points up the assertion, frequently made by trade leaders in the past, that nurserymen should use every possible means to enlarge the public's knowledge about plants, their characteristics and their uses. No other industry which obtains so much income from the public, however small per family, uses advertising, publicity and other forms of enlightening and educating the public so little as do nurservmen. This fact is obvious to anyone who scans the newspapers, magazines and mail received by homeowners, poor or rich, bad prospects or good, customers or not.

The adage is most applicable to this field: The more you tell, the better you sell. If we can help the public learn more about plants, their value and uses through every available channel, our sales will multiply.

SELECTIVE SELLING

In expressing the results of the study, the southeastern consumer survey mentioned above indicated areas to be emphasized by nurserymen in their selling.

Most homes are landscaped without any predetermined plan. If nurserymen, particularly those with experience and training in landscape work, would attempt to change this pattern, and if the industry would more than ever emphasize the importance of planning, as is done to some extent in the publicity now provided, a great expansion might be made in homeowners' interest in plants and in the size of sales. Even the more expensive homes, the study reported, were usually landscaped without a plan.

Since the owners of the more expensive homes, about 20 per cent of the total number, purchase 60 per cent of the shrubbery bought by homeowners, this particular audi[Concluded on page 77]

NEMATODES

In recent years the probable necessity of soil treatment on account of harmful nematodes has come to the attention of more nurserymen than before. This has proved true even in states where the soil was frozen deeply enough in winter to rid it, presumably, of harmful soil and root-infesting organisms. One prominent nurseryman in a state bordering on Canada asserted his fields contained no nematodes, but nevertheless later wondered if it were true when experimental soil treatment was followed by better growth on stock in the field treated, although, of course, soil fumigation generally is stimulating to plant growth in itself.

Besides being the subject of a special conference earlier at Washington, D. C., nematodes were one of the principal topics of discussion at the conference on interstate regulatory relations held by the A. A. N. at Chicago last fall, where it was deplored that there are available too few nematologists to provide advice for the state regulatory services which would employ them, let alone the nursery industry at large.

So readers, whether in states where nematodes are known or not, will find both timely and valuable the article in this issue prepared for them by one of the foremost authorities on nematodes and their control. As he clearly states, the subject is not one to be viewed with alarm, but one to be studied by the individual nurseryman in relation to his own crops and growing conditions. This may be done with a view to preventing hardship or losses where nematodes are known to be present, or with a view to producing better nursery stock in any event.

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Nematodes—Thieves in the Soil

By R. H. Gruenhagen

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It is well recognized that the ornamental nursery industry may at times be somewhat of a gamble, and calculated risks are frequently involved. A number of the problems which may beset a nurseryman are well known and may have satisfactory solutions available. However, there are certain other problems which are not so well recognized but which may have a profound influence on the efficiency and success of a nursery operation.

As the general fund of knowledge is increasing, the feeling is becoming more firmly established that nematode attack has a severe impact on the growth of ornamental plants. Although there is still much to be learned about this broad subject, enough evidence has already been accumulated to demonstrate that nematodes either are or have the potential of being one of the nurseryman's most serious problems. No attempt is being made to be alarming, mysterious or spectacular. This discussion is in response to many requests for information regarding a hitherto little-recognized problem.

Nematodes Exist World Wide

Before any deeper discussion of the nematode problem and its impact upon the production of ornamental plants is made, the nematode itself will be discussed briefly. Nematodes are unsegmented eelworms, which are not closely related to any other form of life. They are found all over the world in soil, fresh and salt water and in or on plants and animals. Over 20,000 different kinds of nematodes are known, but fortunately only a few hundred of these attack living plants. This implies that most nematodes, as well as most fungi and bacteria, are harmless and, in fact, may may be beneficial in breaking down dead organic matter and returning it to the soil as nutrient elements. The forms which live only on dead plant and animal material are known as saprophytes. Nurserymen are primarily interested in the parasites, which exist only on living material.

Although nematodes have no doubt always existed, it has been only in the past 20 years or so that their true impact and significance has been recognized. Research is continually uncovering facts regarding new kinds of nematodes and new host plants which they attack. It is quite possible that the full significance of the problem is still not appreciated.

Historical writings refer to "tired, sick" or "worn-out" soils which no longer would produce a thrifty crop. It is quite possible that nematodes were actually to blame. The association of nematodes with plant disease



Fig. 1—Severe root-knot infection on Ilex crenata helleri.

was first demonstrated by Roffredi in 1775, when he showed that nematodes were responsible for a disease of wheat in England. Root knot, which is today perhaps our most widely recognized nematode disease, was first discovered in England in 1855. Although root knot was known to cause damage on economic crops in this country prior to 1900, little attention was paid to the problem for the first quarter of the 20th century. During the period 1925 to 1950 the United States Department of Agriculture supported a small nematology program, but the work did not gain any great impetus until after 1950.

Root-Knot Nematode

Plant parasitic nematodes may be categorized as endoparasites, which live and feed inside root tissue, and ectoparasites, which live outside of the root tissue but get their food from inside by means of a hollow spearlike device called a stylet. The most widely recognized endoparasitic form is the root-knot nematode, the feeding activities of which promote a distinct enlargement of root cells, as well as an excessive development of new cells. Both of these responses result in the formation of galls or knots on the affected plant roots. This derangement of cells upsets the normal functioning of the affected root. The flow of food and water is

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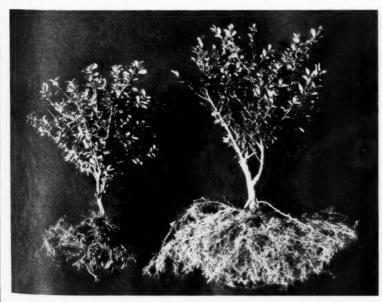


Fig. 2-Japanese Holly from Untreated (Left) and Treated Soil

Minnesota Course Stresses Garden Shop Management

By C. Gustav Hard

A full day of training for garden center operators, stressing business and management problems rather than products and recommendations, was presented March 7 by the University of Minnesota at its campus at St. Paul. This was the second short course to be held in the state for the purpose of helping the garden store industry do a better job of selling and handling nursery and allied products. Though the total enrollment of 177 garden store operators was below the 1960 level, it was felt that more businesses were represented this year.

Inventory control, one of the most popular topics on the program, was discussed by Harold Wallace, University of Minnesota. A simple inventory control system, he said, provides the manager with essential purchasing information, indicating when to buy, what to buy and how much to buy. In addition, it can help the manager (1) know his customers' buying habits, (2) know his business and improve profits, (3) know the fast and slow-moving items on the shelves and (4) recognize trends in his business.

Inventory control also has several indirect benefits. It can reduce or limit inventory investment, allowing more capital to remain in the bank and gather interest. Savings on personal property tax can be realized if the inventory is held down during

assessment periods, and stock purchases distributed over the year can result in insurance savings. Avoiding excess stock also leaves more space available for the selling area, an important consideration in the garden center.

By pointing out which items move fast and which move slow, inventory control can assure the business a well-assorted stock of the right quantity. Volume of stock is not so significant in success as a judicious selection that meets the customers'

Salesmanship

Paul Cashman, professor of rhetoric, discussed the barriers which often exist between the salesman and the customer and offered suggestions for overcoming them. First and commonest is the status barrier. Do not imply that your knowledge supersedes that of the customer. Do not make the customer feel uneasy or inferior.

A listening barrier is common with most people. As a rule, a customer will retain 25 per cent of what he hears at the end of 48 hours. Besides, he will add to this his own interpretation. Very often, he hears only what he wants to hear. Emphasize the points you want a customer to remember.

Customers usually have faulty memories. This poses the problem

of the memory barrier. After two months, a customer may remember only about 10 to 15 per cent of the information he was given. Provide written instructions or ask him to call for information.

Frequently a customer builds a guilt barrier; he feels he is spending too much money. Show him how he is saving money or sell the value and usefulness of the product.

Do not complicate sales procedure. This brings into being the so-called red tape barrier. Group like things together in the sales area. Have allied materials where they can be easily found. Keep tie-in sales items simple and understandable.

Mr. Cashman concluded by citing three points a salesman should keep in mind: (1) Be aware of the barriers that may exist, (2) create a real sense of involvement with the customer and (3) make a strong suggestion of action.

Garden store operators have nearly 41 million persons as potential customers in 1961. This gardening public will spend approximately \$4 billion at garden centers. To do an effective job of merchandising, garden center managers should know some of the characteristics of this market.

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Activities Create Demand

The trend to suburban living is strong and implies the homeowner's participation in all the activities associated with that way of life. Therefore, supplies for gardening, barbecueing, lawn sports and patio entertaining and children's play equipment are in demand.

There is still a spirit of keeping up with the Joneses, and an appeal to this spirit is frequently used as an

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GOOD-WILL CAMELLIA GIFT

In a floral "hands across the sea" salute, the city of Kyoto, Japan, presented the California spring garden and home show at Oakland with 100 choice sasanqua camellia plants grown in the Orient. The plants were sent to A. Hubbard Moffitt, Jr., garden show president, through the Japanese consul general at San Francisco.

Participants in the camellia presentation and planting ceremonies held in the Oriental Garden of Oakland's Lakeside park are shown in the illustration at the left: Left to right, Mrs. David Iino, Oakland leader in Japanese-American affairs; John I. Hennessy, secretary-manager of the flower show; A. Hubbard Moffit, Jr., and Frank H. Ogawa, Oakland grower-member of the California Association of Nurserymen, representing the consulate.

or the choice begonia tubers which the garden show management sent to Kyoto's Mayor Gizo Takayama last year as a symbol of the Oriental motif which dominated the 1960 exhibition. The California-grown tubers were prize specimens from the nursery of Pat Antonelli, Santa Cruz.

First blooms from the camellia plants are expected to be produced this fall. Photographs of the overseas plants in their new setting, however, will be shown at the coming flower show, scheduled for April 22 to 30.

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First Garden Center Course in Iowa

Subjects Include Store Layout and Design, Advertising and Stock Selection

By John P. Mahlstede

Fourteen speakers covered subjects ranging from store layout and design, through advertising and sales training to stock selection at Iowa State University's first short course for garden store operators, held March 17 at Ames, Ia.

With an attendance of 100 persons, the morning sessions were opened by Prof. Robert Dyas, of the landscape architecture staff of the university, who discussed garden center design. Professor Dyas pointed out that the whole center should have unity and express the functions and ideals of the firm. Each operation should be distinctive in order to create in the minds of the buying public an impression of just what the business stands for and the type of product it is handling. He suggested that the store should harmonize with the section of the city or town in which it is situated. Its arrangement on the property should be such that the structure may be recognized readily from the street or highway as a garden center. Access and parking should be apparent, ample and convenient for use. In general, most garden centers are designed much along residential lines, which is probably most appropriate, since most customers are purchasing for their residences and this atmosphere is "homey." Professor Dyas pointed out that a convenient circulation pattern, carrying customers easily through all sales and display areas, is essential.

Make Browser a Buyer

He emphasized the importance of making the customer feel at home, which often makes the browser a buyer. Well-organized facilities are conducive to well-organized, efficient activities for all concerned. In the same vein he emphasized the need for neatness and orderliness. The work and service areas should be as well organized and as convenient as the rest of the garden center, even though the materials and activities need not be obvious to the customers. In planning his layout, the garden store operator should allow plenty of elbow room for all departments, which will permit expansion when the time comes.

Professor Dyas concluded his talk by presenting a schematic plan of the facilities of a typical Iowa garden center, which was based on information he had received from questions circulated earlier in the year.

Donald B. White, of the horticulture staff, then discussed the appearance of the store. By use of colored slides he emphasized the point that a garden center should look like a garden center. Liberal use of plant materials helps highlight the product the business is merchandising and shows the customer what it can do for him to help make his home a pleasanter place in which to live.

Advertising Program

The second panel discussion of the morning featured advertising and the preparation of copy for the garden center. Prof. W. R. Kunerth, technical journalism department, Iowa State, suggested that the first step in the development of an advertising program is to determine just how much and what type of business the firm should be doing. With this information, the operator can get a good idea of the dollar volume potential in his trade area by multiplying the per-family expenditures in the categories of mer-[Continued on page 130]

CLIMATRON AT ST. LOUIS

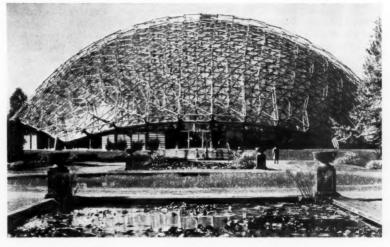
The Climatron, the first fully climatecontrolled display greenhouse in the world, was opened to the public last autumn at the Missouri Botanical Garden, St. Louis.

Under construction for more than one year, the \$700,000 Climatron—so termed by the garden director, Dr. Frits W. Went, because of the unusual degree to which climate control is possible—houses a part of the extensive Shaw collection of tropical and semitropical trees, flowers and plants, many of which were recently acquired for the new facility

A tropical lily pool, featuring a plexiglass tunnel for visitors, will contain fish and other aquatic life aside from the world-famous Shaw's Garden hybrid water lilies and other plants. An 8-foot "mountain" inside the dome is planted with coffee trees and other plants suited to cooler, drier parts of the tropics, and a few feet away a hot, moist bog contains a profusion of plants found in such areas. Many other kinds of tropical environments and vegetation are displayed.

A particularly noteworthy feature of the new greenhouse is that scientific experiments, under the direction of Shaw's Garden scientists, take place in the Climatron and are a part of its public displays

The Climatron's unique climate control system is a direct outgrowth of the



Climatron at the Missouri Botanical Garden, St. Louis

Phytotron, a laboratory greenhouse based on principles of environmental control formulated by Dr. Went.

Surrounding the perimeter of the Climatron are 120 lamps of 1,000 watts each which are turned on at night providing spectacular effects, both inside and outside the structure. A revolving lighting system suspended from the dome apex is used at night to illuminate the

displays with a simulated effect of tropical sun and moon.

Conceived and designed by Dr. Went, the sun and moon lighting system was executed under his direction by the Missouri Botanical Garden's technical staff and the shops of Washington University after contractors approached on the matter said that costs would be prohibitively high.

Trade Members Survey Winter Damage

Snow Cover a Factor in Injury Pattern; Broad-Leaved Evergreens Hardest Hit

Correspondence from trade members in the eastern part of the United States has given some prominence to indications of unusual winter damage to various lines of nursery stock. This subject was discussed by E. Sam Hemming, in the feature, "This Business of Ours," in the April 1 issue of this magazine. Supplementing his remarks are the following, which were sought by this publication from trade members to help clarify the picture of conditions.

From these reports it becomes apparent that presence or absence of adequate snow in a severely cold winter played an important part. Broad-leaved evergreens, as might be expected, suffered more than other items, but yews and wax privet were also affected in several areas. Deciduous items, generally, were not

involved.

Views from New England

H. Verkade, Verkade's Nursery, Inc., New London, Conn., writes: "We had considerable winter damage on the larger plants of Pieris japonica and ilex varieties, but Pieris floribunda, leucothoe and rhododendron came through in good shape. None of the lining-out sizes in the foregoing items were hurt.

"We have damage in Taxus hatfieldi, Halloran, Moon's columnaris and nigra, but none of the spreading types or capitata were hurt. No lining-out stock was damaged; even those plants transplanted last fall came through in good shape.

"All junipers and chamaecyparis came through in good shape. All trees and shrubs survived the winter in good condition, except for some damage by mice and rabbits.

"We did considerable transplanting last October and November and have not noticed any severe losses so far."

Clifford Corliss, Corliss Bros. Inc., Gloucester, Mass., notes the winter damage to stock in his nursery, in many other nurseries in the area and at private homes as follows:

"Rhododendrons—Catawbas, hybrids and Carolinas—had severe winter burn, so that most of them will not be salable this season. The same holds for Pieris japonica, Pieris floribunda, kalmia, leucothoe and ilex. Some of the needle evergreens, including hemlocks, and some of the taxus, arborvitae and cypress show

some burn. Others seem to have done fairly well. There was some damage to shrubs, a few types of which show die-back above the snow line. Most of the trees seem to be O. K."

Long Island Data

Robert H. Brewster, Suffolk county extension service, Riverhead, L. I., describes winter damage to plants, both from burning and snow weight,

in the following report:

"Perhaps the plant worst affected was wintergreen barberry (Berberis julianae). More costly damage was done to the Atlas cedar (Cedrus atlantica) which was badly burned, and to various forms of holly. Again, this year the worst injured item was the convex-leafed Japanese holly (Ilex crenata convexa) which local nurserymen call Ilex bullata; Ilex latifolia was also burned. Rhododendrons were hard hit, as were small azaleas and andromedas in beds without shade. Japanese black pine had burned tips, and hemlocks were wind burned.

"This year, the Suffolk county extension service has had no report of damage to white pine blocks, though these were damaged a year ago.

"Because of heavy snow. Iapanese black pine, cypress, arborvitae and hemlock were severely injured by breakage. Branches of hemlock were literally ripped out of their sockets at the trunk. Yews were particularly hard hit, especially Taxus media hicksi. Because this yew is often structurally weak, it should be trained to a single stem and sheared to a point in nursery blocks.

"It is too early to tell whether nursery plants of questionable hardiness in this zone have survived. Trees like Albizzia julibrissin, or silk tree, sometimes called mimosa, when scratched, show a bark still green, but it is too early for them to show signs of popping buds.

"Normally, by St. Patrick's day. Long Island nurserymen are digging to fill early spring orders, but a week later this year there are still freezing nights. This year spring is expected to be delayed about two weeks at least.

"Rabbit and deer damage has been spotty again this year, but where the animals did attack, the damage was severe. Two nurseries reported that the snow was too deep to permit deer or rabbit damage. Three nurseries

reported severe damage; one in a town where the population is over 1,000 persons per square mile reported killing over 20 rabbits and still having severe damage to crab apple, pyracantha and magnolias. Where the deer damage was severe it was confined mainly to dogwood.

"Suppliers who visit many nurserymen on the east coast report that the severest winter injury was in south New Jersey nurseries this win-

ter."

New Jersey Damage Survey

From Red Bank, N. J., James S. Wells, James S. Wells Nursery, Inc., writes as follows on plant conditions resulting from the past severe winter:

"There is no doubt that winter damage was widespread and serious in this area, and from conversations with other growers and with my customers I gather that this condition exists over the whole eastern area, from Virginia to Massachusetts.

"We noticed the first damage immediately after the first snow storm in mid-December, for we had only a light snow covering and cold temperatures with bright, windy days. This weather burned almost everything to some degree. Later weather simply added to the problem.

"Several points of interest emerge from the conditions as I now see

them:

"Damage was patchy, being most severe where plants were open and exposed. Even the lightest amount of side or top protection greatly reduced the damage. For instance, the first plant in a row would be damaged severely, but the one immediately adjacent to it was much less injured, and so on down the row. Where plants were covered with a lath shade almost no damage is to be found.

"Damage is not confined to broadleaved evergreens, but extends to taxus, junipers, hemlock and similar

material.

"Use of Wilt-Pruf for winter protection on rhododendrons and ilex had no effect.

"On rhododendrons, plants which had been lightly fed late in the fall and had foliage of a good, dark green suffered much less than those which were not fed and had foliage of a lighter green color.

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Practical Weed Control in the Nursery

By S. K. Ries

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Many nurserymen are afraid of chemical weed control; others simply do not think it will do the job. Probably most of them do not believe that chemical weed control is important enough for them to spend their time learning about it. Some principles and thoughts which might help develop a nursery weed control program follow:

Know your plant material and its tolerance to the various chemicals. Know the chemicals being used. The best way to learn about the chemical is to read the label. It pays to be familiar with the weeds prevalent in the area, since certain chemicals do not control various species of weeds.

Soil Conditions Are a Factor

In general, all herbicides applied to the soil work much better under moist soil conditions than dry conditions. It often pays to irrigate after applying some herbicides, if it is convenient. The higher recommended rates should be applied to heavy soils, such as clays and clay loams. The lowest rates should be used on light sandy soils.

Herbicides must be applied at the recommended rate. This has been a problem for several nurserymen, because they have not used the proper equipment or have not calibrated their sprayers. Herbicides must be applied in nurseries at pressures of 20 to 60 P.S.I. and at 20 to 60 gallons per acre. Almost any sprayer available can be adjusted to do this job.

Of course, all weed sprays should

be put on with flat fan nozzles. This is the only type which will supply material accurately. Fifty-mesh screens should also be used in the pumps, boom and nozzles.

Granular formulations of herbicides are one of the most interesting developments in the weed control business. The future for granulars looks promising, but the development of more accurate distributors is a must. The development of an accurate granular distributor, working on the principle of the Cyclone seeder, would be helpful in tall nursery plantings.

Outlines Program

What is a good weed control program for nurserymen? First of all, no transplanting should be done into a field where there are perennial weeds. Quack grass should be controlled the year before transplanting by using dalapon in the spring or fall. Certain noxious perennial weeds, such as thistles, horse nettle, milkweed and poison ivy, can be eliminated by spot treatments with amino triazole. Certainly, if perennial weeds are much of a problem, it may pay to take the field out of production for one year to make sure the job is done right.

Transplant beds and mulching materials should be fumigated the season before they are used, so that there is no danger from harmful residues. Methyl bromide (MC-2) is the most effective and safe fumigant, but it takes more time to apply. Vapam, Mylone and allyl alcohol

are also recommended for the job, but one must become familiar with each before using it on large areas.

Lining-out stock and established nursery blocks are the areas where one can probably save the most money.

Simazine is effective if it is used properly and only on tolerant nursery species. CIPC is also effective for control of purslane in the late summer and chickweed in the fall and spring. Neburon does a good job if used properly.

If one is concerned about the cost or believes it is necessary to cultivate, he should apply only a band near the base of the plant. It must be remembered, however, that the rate per acre should be based on the area actually sprayed.

Removing established annual and perennial weeds in nursery blocks is still a problem, but there are some promising chemicals and practices available. I have found that early application of three to six pounds per acre of active Simazine on quack grass as soon as it has started new growth is effective in killing the quack grass and controlling annuals.

The addition of amino triazole at one or two pounds per acre increased the effectiveness of the chemical on established perennial and annual weeds. No injury to nursery stock occurred during the first year of these tests, but further studies must be made under different conditions before these practices can be recommended.

Regardless of the chemical or method of use, many problems with the culture of nursery stock have resulted. It now has become apparent that every nurseryman using weed killers effectively will have to change some of his cultural practices and also ask himself some questions.

Some cultural changes may be required as follows: Blocks of resistant species should be planted so that susceptible species will not be endangered by spraying. Higher-growing species must be planted separately or staggered in rows with shorter stock, so that spraying may be done more efficiently. Under soil conditions that require a cover crop between the rows, corn, which is tolerant to Simazine, can be grown

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Spraying Herbicide with a Single Nozzle Adjusted To Spray Four Rows of Ornamentals

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Tips for Better Landscapes

Vines for Home Entrances—Part II

By Clarence E. Lewis

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Vines can make interesting patterns on a wall. This is a landscape feature that many people do not realize or take the time to think about. There are all kinds of impressions created by a simple deciduous vine, like Boston ivy, or its variety Low's ivy. Certainly, direction is evident in the lines of the stems of the Japanese creeper or Boston ivy (Parthenocissus tricuspidata) shown in illustration A.

A closer look at this vine, provided by illustration B, reveals the interesting contrasts made by the naked stems and the grapelike fruit against the brick.

During the winter period, vines can be pruned to obtain the lines that one wishes. Large open areas, small openings in the branching network, primarily main or larger branches or a dominance of feeler branches can be retained to give direction, or describe figures that may be almost contemporary in their nature. This kind of treatment is useful when a walk parallels the wall. Such is the case in illustration A.

Gives Feeling of Motion

I was attracted to the vine shown in illustration A because of the feeling of motion. Since this observation, I have noticed many other interesting patterns made by Boston ivy, Low's ivy, Virginia creeper and the hydrangea vine on various buildings.



Illustration A—The interesting winter pattern of Boston ivy is often more effective than its summer foliage.

The trumpet vine (Campsis radicans) gives some unusual results, too, but it is not so easily retained on a brick or stone wall, unless regular pruning takes place. Two plants were used to lend interest to the two blank walls of the bathhouse shown in illustration C, but they had to be restricted.

The poison ivy (illustration D) makes a furry pattern on the trunks of trees in the woods. The 3-leafleted vine, of course, is not for landscape use, but one has to admire its hairy branches and rich red, orange and yellow fall colors—from a distance.

The grape in winter is more than just a vine, with a coiled tendril to hold it in place on a trellis, fence or

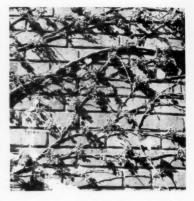


Illustration B — The Boston ivy's branches and grapelike fruit make a pleasing contrast with the brick.

arbor. The peeling bark of the younger stems and grooved bark of the older can give the grapevine value for its landscape effect rather than for its edible fruits. The large leaves are considered a drawback by many persons, but where this texture is needed the grapevine could enter the landscape picture.

For striking contrasts in texture—and this idea can be exploited—one might try the 5-leaved akebia with the large-leaved euonymus, or he might possibly carry the contrast to an even greater extreme and use the little-leaved euonymus with the English ivy.

Ground covers, too, can contrast with a vine on the wall. If the vine



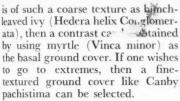
Illustration C-A bathhouse, too, sometimes needs a bit of dressing up; it was accomplished here with two trumpet vines.



Illustration D—Even poison ivy can be admired—in the woods and from a distance.



Illustration E—Small pockets are often planting problems, but not if a large-leaved winter creeper is selected.



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An interesting and harmonious combination is the Japanese or Chinese wistaria and a fairly heavy planting of Vinca minor. If the flowers of the wistaria are lavender or blue, a white-flowering form of myrtle, or periwinkle, may be used for a pleasing combination.

For Height in Small Areas

Many times small planting areas are left near walks, entrances or on terraces. Although height is needed in such circumstances, one does not wish to have a sentry on duty like a clipped form of Hicks yew, a pyramidal arborvitae or something else that may be just as out of place.



Illustration H—Allamanda in mild climates produces a profusion of large yellow flowers over a long period.



Illustration F—The Carriere or the species winter creeper (Euonymus fortunei) makes an ideal entrance plant.

The large-leaved euonymus (E. f. vegetus) in illustration E could be a happy choice. An espaliered plant could do equally well, particularly if such a plant as Hetz holly (Ilex crenata Hetzi), Burford holly (Ilex cornuta Burfordi), or rock cotoneaster (C. horizontalis) were employed.

It must be remembered that extra care is required when plants are used in an area where there is a strong reflection of heat. The location shown in illustration E is a good example. Euonymus plants, under such circumstances, seem more susceptible to scale and must be watered more often than is necessary for plants in lawn areas.

Spraying with a plastic covering to reduce the winter transpiration rate is also beneficial to the plant. This can be done twice, once about December 1 and a second time during early February. Evergreen shrubs are more easily injured under such



Illustration I—The Kirschner ivy, when allowed to spill over a low retainer wall, is relaxingly attractive.



Illustration G—The large flowers of the Mme. Galen trumpet vine are attractive, with their salmon-pink tones.

growing conditions than deciduous ones.

The entrance depicted in illustration F is graced with a lush, dark green euonymus, but under these circumstances the plant is not fully exposed to the sun or wind. Nearby trees canopy the area, and a multiple-stemmed sweet bay magnolia improves the growing conditions for the vine.

This simple entrance planting is much more effective than having a tightly clipped yew "shoe-horned" into the corner. Someone was also imaginative enough to leave a small planting pocket to allow for a planting.

Suitable Espaliers

An espalier could have been used here also. What shrubs could one select that would not become too large after five to 10 years? Several hollies could be trained for this [Continued on page 122]



Illustration J—Steep banks can be held in place by English ivy—and most attractively, if it is a north slope.

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Gold Medal Winners in The Boston Flower Show

By A. I. Heimlich

Wonderland park, Revere, Mass., was once again the scene of the annual New England spring flower show, the 90th—officially opened by Gov. John N. Volpe of Massachusetts and Mrs. Volpe Saturday, March 11. Thousands of eager visitors were on hand the opening day to view the many delightful promises of spring to come. Theme of this year's show was "Gardens of the Americas."

An innovation this year was a gay yellow and white nylon-impregnated vinyl plastic dome, maintained with air pressure, used for additional exhibition space. The main feature in this air-supported structure was a formal garden by Bartlett Gardens, Hamilton, Mass. A low wall of brick and a boxwood hedge were used, and the background was of cedar and pine, with large plantings of azaleas in variety, Carolina rhododendron, pink and white dogwood and birch trees. Immediately in the foreground there was a pool with multicolored



Cherry Hill Nurseries, West Newbury, Mass., won the Beatrix Farrand silver bowl for the best showing of azaleas and rhododendrons in variety with this informal garden at the New England flower show.

lights. A gold medal, a first prize and the Massachusetts department of agriculture trophy for the best exhibit staged by a commercial grower in Massachusetts went to this display.

Clubhouse Prize Winners

Leaving the dome hall and entering the clubhouse, show visitors viewed a garden 12x70 feet, displayed by Alexander I. Heimlich, Woburn, Mass. A border held pink and white dogwood, Carolina rhododendron, pieris, tree wistarias and many alpine plants, as well as ground covers and miniature bulbs in bloom. In the center was a garden retreat, bordered by five large trained ivies. A gold medal and a first prize were won by this garden.

A terrace garden by the Old Colony Landscape Service, Weymouth, Mass., another gold medal and first prize winner, had a path of cut stone leading to a terrace holding a pool and fountain. The plant-

ing consisted of large pines, dogwood trees and rhododendrons and azaleas in variety.

A Canadian garden, by Pine Gardens, Milton, Mass., showed a grass path leading to a raised sitting area. The planting consisted of material suitable to Canadian conditions, such as the new lily, Golden Chalice; delphinum, and petunias. A small fountain emptied into an irregular-shaped pool. The display received a gold medal and a first prize.

Packard Nursery & Garden Shop, Rockland, Mass., won a gold medal and first award on a south Alaskan garden, tastefully done. Against an Alaskan scenic painting there was a cottage with a white picket fence and a little brook nearby. Plants used included daphne, bush blueberries, azaleas, bulbs in variety, geraniums and begonias.

Main Building Displays

An Old French Quarter patio garden of New Orleans was featured by Littlefield - Wyman Nurseries, Inc., Abington, Mass., in the main exhibition building. A courtyard of brick had a flaked stucco wall in the background showing stained cedar shutters and a balcony. There was also a circular pool in the setting. Taxus grew against the wall. There were plantings of azaleas and boxwood, and a gnarled old tree shading the scene had Spanish moss hanging from it. Judges gave this display a gold medal and first prize also.

An informal garden by Cherry Hill Nurseries, West Newbury, Mass., was awarded the Beatrix Farrand silver bowl, in addition to a gold medal and a first prize, for the best showing of azaleas and rhododendrons. There was a small terrace banked by well-flowered rhododendron in variety, with azaleas in the

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Winner of the president's cup for the most meritorious display, a gold medal and a first prize was this entry at the New England flower show by Weston Nurseries, Inc., Hopkinton, Mass.

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Landscaping Ideas at Capital Show

By Vincent Vuoto

The preview of spring that was the 11th annual flower and garden show at the nation's capital erupted as a panorama of color and gardening ideas at the National Guard Armory, Washington, D. C., March 9 to 15.

The floral extravaganza, which shows strong gains in popularity and attendance each year, was formally opened the afternoon of March 9 by Mrs. John F. Kennedy in her first solo public appearance as "first lady." To mark the event, Mrs. Kennedy was presented with a bouquet of the new First Lady rose, grown especially for the occasion by C. R. Burr & Co., Inc., Manchester, Conn. The blooms, salmon-pink in color, were presented by Charles S. Burr, president of the nursery.

Nurserymen's Groups Aid

Two of the show's garden highlights were provided by nursery groups. The Maryland Nurserymen's Association entered a display with the theme, "good landscaping is a good investment for the homeowner—for recreational family living, monetary value, community living and protection from the elements." Plants used were labeled.

The Florida Nurserymen and Growers Association shipped plants and flowers from the south to create a tropical garden around a bamboo shelter, the entry winning a first prize. A patio area was covered with white gravel and black steppingstones of various sizes, and the pathleading to the patio was of white circular stepping stones. A large waterfall with a pool, at the left of the

patio, was banked with tropical foliage and flowering plants, having a huge coconut palm as an accent.

Focal point of the show, sponsored by the Allied Florists' Association of Greater Washington, D. C. in conjunction with the National Capital Garden Club League, was the dancing waters fountain display in the center of the huge armory floor. Landscape architect Boris V. Timchenko, designer of the show, laid out all cut flower and pot plant displays as an integral part of the over-all scheme, with major garden features in a circular arrangement around the focal point. Many of the competitive potted plant entries were arranged to resemble spring

Large Garden Winners

First prize in the large garden competition was won by J. H. Small & Sons, Inc., Washington, D. C., for a semiformal patio garden. A weathered brick patio and its grass area were edged with dwarf taxus, with a crescent-shaped patio area on the right-hand side of the entrance overlooking the grass and planted on each side with masses of white azaleas and flowering white dogwood trees in the rear. Masses of white azaleas were also planted at the far end of the mall area, with an antique birdbath shaded by a large dogwood tree.

Lewinsville Nursery, Inc., Mc-Lean, Va., was given second prize for a semiformal garden with the accent on modern design. This planting was triangular, with a sunken pool and fountain of concrete and stone slabs at one point of the triangle. A raised area in the foreground was covered with washed natural gravel and accented by plantings of yucca and low-growing junipers among large rocks. The background of the garden showed azaleas and broadleaved evergreens. Beds of salmon-colored tulips grew alongside the pool

Hodgin & Gilliam Garden Center, Centerville, Va., was awarded third prize in the competition for a large semiformal garden, which featured a marble pool at the top of a gently sloped grass area. Marble squares were used as steppingstones on the right-hand side of the pool, with the background planted to broad-leaved evergreens, including magnolias and azaleas. Beds of light and dark blue hyacinths were used in the grassy foreground, with salmon-colored tulips and a large Magnolia grandiflora tree.

Medium-Size Gardens

In the medium-size garden competition, first place was given to Stock Bros., Inc., Bethesda, Md., for a semiformal garden with raised flagstone beds surrounding a grass area. The beds were planted with broadleaved evergreens and backed by an arborvitae hedge on one side and a reed fence on another. The grass area was accented by a saucer-shaped stone birdbath on the right of the entrance.

Second prize in the medium-size garden competition was won by Campbell & Ferrara Nurseries, Alex-



Mrs. John F. Kennedy at the Washington flower show opening holding new First Lady roses grown for the occasion by C. R. Burr & Co. and presented by Charles S. Burr. left.



Semiformal garden with raised flagstone beds, winner of first prize in the medium-size garden competition for Stock Bros., Inc., Bethesda, Md., at the Washington show.

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andria, Va., for a garden of semiformal design. A raised red brick planting bed on the right of the entrance held masses of pink and white azaleas. Beds of deep pink and white tulips framed a grassy area and were also placed at the base of the raised planting bed.

William G. Burton, Hyattsville, Md., received third prize for a modern garden with an Oriental touch. A raised lawn in the foreground was backed by a slate pool placed against a natural-board fence. The pool included an unusual stone fountain,

with a planting of salmon-colored azaleas, broad-leaved evergreens and a large flowering dogwood tree in the background. A small magnolia tree in the lawn was underplanted with azaleas and miniature ivy.

Small Plantings

In the small garden competition, Chambers Flower Center, Washington, D. C., won first prize for a semiformal garden with a raised brick planting bed in the background holding red and pink azaleas. A kidney-shaped pool was at the base of the raised bed edged with miniature ivy. A large white pine showed in the background.

Ridgeville Nurseries, Inc., Mount Airy, Md., were awarded second prize for a semiformal spring garden. Clumps of daffodils were placed at each side of the garden's entrance, with deep pink and white azaleas being used to ring a small grass area. Arborvitae was used as a background hedge.

The Conard-Pyle Co., West Grove, Pa., won a first prize for a [Continued on page 76]

Sterling Forest Gardens Honored in First Year

Sterling Forest Gardens, Tuxedo, N. Y., has received considerable publicity in the New York city metropolitan area through films shown to many garden clubs and civic organizations and full-page advertisements in the metropolitan newspapers inviting the public to view the gardens, which are operated by Sterling Forest Gardens Corp., a nonprofit organization.

The project was given added interest recently when it won one of the nine national industrial awards in the American Association of Nurserymen's 1960 "Plant America" competition, bringing like awards to landscape architects Carl Van Empelen, Jr., BNT, Haarlem, Holland, and W. A. Rutherford, Riverside,

Conn., and to Curtis Nurseries, Inc., Callicoon, N. Y., and Everett Conklin & Co., Inc., Westwood, N. J.

The entire establishment consists of approximately 30 square miles, or 22,000 acres, although the garden itself covers only 125 acres. Until 1922 there was a small community of 5,000 in the area, mining iron ore. It is considered too deep to be mined at the present time.

Visitors follow a winding forest road to a large parking area, from which a trackless train takes them to the garden itself.

In the Flower Meadow, paved areas of hexagon blocks surround 13 hexagonal beds in which a succession of bloom is provided by spring bulbs, annuals and chrysanthemums. When the gardens opened to the public last May, nearly 1,000,000 bulbs were displayed—in the beds in the Flower Meadow, where thousands of tulips filled each of the hexagons; in woodlands, and along garden paths.

For the 1961 spring display, the International flower show committee of the Netherlands has selected for the gardens what is believed to be the most complete collection of bulbs to be seen in the country. Over 800,000 more bulbs were planted last fall, and a new area, the Connoisseur's Garden, was set aside for the finest novelty varieties of Dutch bulbs, some of which have never before been on public display in America. Plantings of azaleas and flowering trees and shrubs, which complete the spring scenes, are also being expanded.

From late May to early June, the Iris Valley is a center of attraction. The 15,000 iris plants, mostly of the tall bearded type, will be augmented this year by many recent introductions from west coast originators.

Tuberous - rooted begonias make up another major display. Choice hybrids in many colors are planted in large masses along the woodland walks in the shade of trees and are complemented with fancy-leaved caladiums and shade - tolerant annuals.

Successive shows are provided by roses planted in a tastefully designed 2-acre rose garden, masses of west coast lilies and Pacific Giant delphinium; lakeside plantings of day lilies; a perennial garden, and a final show of chrysanthemums. Peacocks, flamingos and other exotic birds that enjoy the full range of the gardens are additional attractions.

William Rutherford, the director of Sterling Forest Gardens, is assisted by Charles Lewis, head of the horticulture department, and Martin Flayter, landscape and maintenance director.



Colorful annuals fill the hexagonal beds in the Flower Meadow at Sterling Forest Gardens during the summer. Each hexagon is edged with Ilex crenata helleri. Tulips provide spring color here, and chrysanthemums replace the annuals for fall.

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Ilex aquifolium, seedlings, 21/2-in. pot, 8 to 10 ins	.15	.121/2
Ilex crenata convexa, 2½-in. pot, 4 to 6 ins.	.15	.121/2
Ilex glabra, 21/4-in. pot, 6 to 8 ins	.15	.121/2
Ilex crenata Green Thumb, 21/2-in. pot, 4 to 6 ins	.15	$.12^{1/2}$
Ilex crenata helleri, 21/2-in. pot, 2-yr., 4 to 6 ins	.15	.121/2
Ilex crenata helleri, 4-in. pot, 3-yr., 6 to 8 ins	.35	.30
Ilex crenata hetzi, 21/2-in. pot, 6 ins	.15	$.12^{1/2}$
Ilex opaca East Palatka, 3-in. pot, peat, heavy, 10 to 12 ins	.15	$.12^{1/2}$
Nandina domestica, 2-in. rose pot, 8 to 10 ins	$.12^{1/2}$	
Osmanthus fortunei, 2½-in. rose pot, 4 to 6 ins	$.17\frac{1}{2}$	
Viburnum burkwoodi, 21/2-in. rose pot, 8 to 10 ins	$.12^{1/2}$	
Viburnum chenaulti, 21/2-in. rose pot, 8 to 10 ins	$.12^{1/2}$.10
Thuja occidentalis compacta erecta, 21/2-in. rose pot,		
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Thuja occidentalis, Dark Green, 21/2-in. rose pot,		
heavy, 6 to 8 ins	.16	.14
Thuja occidentalis globosa, 2½-in, rose pot, heavy, 6 to 8 ins.	.16	.14
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Thuja orientalis, Blue Cone, 2½-in. rose pot, 8 to 10 ins	.171/2	
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Euonymus microphyllus, beds, heavy, 4 to 6 ins	.15	$.12^{1/2}$
Euonymus radicans, beds, 10 ins	.15	.121/2
Euonymus radicans, upright, beds, 8 to 12 ins	.15	.121/2
llex crenata convexa, seedlings, 2-yr., beds, 10 to 12 ins	.15	.121/2
Ilex crenata rotundifolia, beds, light, 6 to 8 ins	$.12^{1/2}$.10
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COMING EVENTS

MEETING CALENDAR

May 18-Georgia nurserymen's field day, University of Georgia, Athens, Ga.

May 18 to 20-Florida Nurserymen and Growers Association, annual convention, Deauville hotel, Miami Beach, Fla.

May 21 to 23-Texas Association of Nurserymen, short course, Agricultural and Mechanical College of Texas, College Station, Tex.

May 28 to 30-Georgia State Nurserymen's Association, annual convention, the Corsair, Jekyll island, Ga.

May 29 to 31—Short course for Louisiana nurserymen, University of Southwestern Louisiana, Lafayette, La.

June 7 and 8-Refresher course for nurserymen, California Polytechnic Institute, San Luis Obispo, Calif.

June 11 to 13-South Carolina Nurserymen's Association, annual convention, Francis Marion hotel, Charleston, S. C.

June 11 to 13-Alabama Nurserymen's Association, annual convention, Albert Pick motel, Huntsville, Ala.

June 15 and 16-Florida Nurservmen and Grower's Association, short course, University of Florida, Gainesville.

June 19 to 21-Kentucky Nurserymen's Association, summer meeting, Ken-Lake hotel, Kentucky Lake state park, Hardin, Ky.

June 19 to 24—Advanced management conference, Syracuse University's Minnowbrook conference center.

June 20 to 23—Western chapter, Na-tional Shade Tree Conference, Univer-sity of British Columbia, Vancouver, Canada.

June 25 to 27-Plains Nurserymen's Association and New Mexico Association of Nurserymen, joint convention, Western Skies motel, Albuquerque, N. M.

July 9 to 12-Canadian Association of Nurserymen, 38th annual meeting, Hotel Vancouver, Vancouver, B. C., Canada.

July 10 to 12 - American Society of Landscape Architects, annual meeting, Harvest House hotel, Boulder, Colo.

July 15 to 20-American Association of Nurserymen, annual convention, Statler Hilton hotel, Washington, D. C.
July 25 and 26—Michigan landscape

and nursery conference, Kellogg Center, Michigan State University, East Lansing,

August 1 to 3 - Illinois State Nursery-August 1 — Minor State Muss. Morton Arboretum, Lisle, Ill. August 2 — Massachusetts Nursery-men's Association, summer meeting, H. V.

Lawrence, Inc., Falmouth, Mass.

August 6 to 8-Southern Nurserymen's Association, Hotel Peabody, Memphis, Tenn.

August 13 to 18-A. A. N. management conferences, Sagamore conference center of Syracuse University, near Raquette Lake, N. Y., and Lake Arrowhead conference center of the University of California, Lake Arrowhead, Calif.

August 17 - New England Nurserymen's Association, summer meeting, Boulevard Nurseries, Newport, R. I. August 20 to 25—National Shade Tree

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Juniper, virginiana Dundee 30 to 36 ins., B&B 2.50 3 to 4 ft., B&B 3.50
Juniper, virginiana keteleeri 24 to 30 ins. B&B 2.00 30 to 36 ins. B&B 2.25 5 to 6 ft. B&B 3.50
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MAY 22, 9:30 A. M.

Bill Fulingim, executive secretary, Texas Association of Nurserman, chair-

Welcome, by Dr. R. E. Patterson, dean of agriculture, Agricultural and Mechanical College of Texas.

"State and Federal Laws Affecting Nurserymen and Landscape Horticulturists," by Alvis Vandergriff, attorney, Austin, Tex.

"Pest Control Problems of Growers, Distributors and Consumers of Nursery Products":

"Diseases," by Harlan E. Smith, plant pathologist, Texas agricultural ex-

tension service.

"Insects," by C. F. Garner, entomologist, Texas agricultural extension service, and Paul Gregg, entomologist, Klaus-White Chemical Co., San Antonio,

Tex.

"Nematodes," by W. H. Thames,
Jr., associate professor, department of
plant physiology and pathology, Texas
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Panel and group discussion, Paul Gregg, moderator, and Harlan Smith, C. F. Garner and W. H. Thames, Jr., panel members.

MAY 22, 2 P. M.

R. S. Suggs, Suggs Landscape Co., Houston, Tex., chairman. "Herbicides and Weed Controls," by

John Long, department of agronomy, Texas agricultural experiment station. "Modern Turf Management," by E. C.

Holt, professor of agronomy, Texas A. &

Tour of experimental turf plots. Texas Aggie Smorgasbord, ballroom Memorial Student Center, with L. J. Hilscher, Hilscher Nursery & Garden Center, Fort Worth, Tex., president, Texas

Association of Nurserymen, chairman. Address: "Plants for Modern Land-scapes," by Tom Scarbrough, Tom's Tree Place, Lubbock, Tex.

MAY 23, 9:30 A. M.

Scott Mosty, Mosty Bros. Nursery, Center Point, Tex., chairman. "Automation in the Nursery," by W. P.

Nuffer, Mountain View Nurseries, Inc., Troutdale, Ore.
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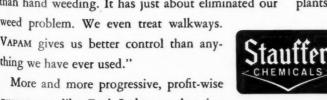
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MAY 23, 12:30 P. M.

Ralph C. Griffing, Griffing Nurseries, Beaumont, Tex., chairman.

"Recent Research of Interest to Nurs-

"Recent Research of Interest to Nurserymen," by Davis A. Pate, department of floriculture, Texas A. & M.
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GEORGIA CONVENTION

"The New Look in Our Industry" is the theme of the annual convention of the Georgia State Nurserymen's Association, to be held May 28 to 30. Headquarters will be at The Corsair, Jekyll Island, Ga. A recreation lounge will be available for the ladies during the sessions, details of which follow:

MAY 28

-Registration, lobby, The Cor-3 p. m.sair, Jekyll Island.
7:30 p. m.—Buffet supper, Nautilus

restaurant; beach party for children.

MAY 29

9 a. m.-Welcome and committee appointments, with Charles Morse, Jr., Morse Bros., Chattanooga, Tenn., presi-

dent, presiding.
9:30 a. m.—"The New Look in Landscape Plants," by Frank A. Smith, Frank A. Smith & Co., Atlanta, Ga.

Speaker from the American

Association of Nurserymen.

10:45 a. m.-Report from division of entomology and plant industry, by W. E. Blasingame, director.
11 a. m.—Exhibitors' hour.

12 m.-Lunch.

2 p. m.—Tour of the islands, led by George Newberry.

7 p. m.—Banquet, with speaker, George Hull, garden editor, Chattanooga Times.

9 p. m.-Dancing.

MAY 30

8 a. m.-A. A. N. breakfast, Nautilus restaurant.

9 a. m.--Call to order, with President

Morse presiding. 9:30 a. m.—"The New Look in Annuals and Perennials," by William J. Park, George W. Park Seed Co., Greenwood, S. C.

10:30 a. m.—Business session.

CALIFORNIA COURSE

Otto Martens, Deigaard Nurseries, Inc., Monrovia, Calif., has been appointed to arrange and conduct the plant forum phase of the California nurserymen's refresher course, to be held June 7 and 8 at California Polytechnic College, San Luis Obispo, according to Peter Sugawara, Monte Bello Nursery, Los Altos, Calif., chairman of the course.

Mr. Martens will outline the plant [Continued on page 28]

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KENTUCKY SUMMER DATES

According to Howard G. Tilson, secretary of the Kentucky Nurserymen's Association, the annual summer meeting of the association has been scheduled for June 19 to 21. Headquarters will be at the Ken-Lake hotel, Kentucky Lake state park, Hardin, Ky.

CANADA'S SUMMER DATE

A summer date (July 9 to 12) has been set for the 38th annual meeting of the Canadian Association of Nurserymen - a new departure for the group especially favorable to the concept of combining business with pleasure. Members are invited to take their families with them to the convention headquarters at the Hotel Vancouver, Vancouver, B. C., and take advantage of the recreational opportunities offered in scenic western Canada. A well-rounded program of practical interest to all members is promised by David Hunter, general convention chairman.

ILLINOIS SHORT COURSE

The fifth annual short course of the Illinois State Nurserymen's Association will be held at the Morton Arboretum, Lisle, Ill., August 1 to 3. Plans include a tour of the arboretum, visits to several northern Illinois nurseries and observation of some of the well-executed landscape plantings in the Chicago area.

MARYLAND A HOST

The Maryland Nurserymen's Association will serve as co-host with the Virginia Nurserymen's Association for the annual convention of the American Association of Nurserymen, to be held July 15 to 20 at the Statler Hilton hotel, Washington, D. C. No separate summer meeting has been scheduled by the Maryland group this year, according to Thomas T. Adams, executive secretary of the M. N. A.

VIRGINIA MEETING

The Virginia Nurserymen's Association will not hold its usual summer tour this year, according to

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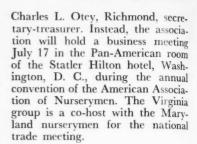
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Dates for the Michigan nursery and landscape conference this year have been announced as July 25 and 26 by Harold Davidson, of the department of horticulture at Michigan State University, East Lansing, Mich. Sessions will be held at the Kellogg Center on the university campus.

ILLINOIS TURF DAY

July 27 has been set as the date of the Illinois turf grass field day to be held at the Urbana campus of the University of Illinois, according to a recent announcement by Harleigh R. Kemmerer, assistant professor of horticulture at the university.

MASSACHUSETTS MEET

Headquarters for the summer meeting of the Massachusetts Nurserymen's Association will be at the establishment of H. V. Lawrence, Inc., Falmouth, Mass. The meeting has been scheduled for August 2, according to Richard S. Guild, executive director of the association.

NEW ENGLAND DATE

August 17 has been set for the summer meeting of the New England Nurserymen's Association, according to Earl Herrick, secretary. The location again will be the Boulevard Nurseries, Newport, R. I.

SOUTHERN DATES

August 6 to 8 are the dates recently announced for the 62nd annual convention of the Southern Nurserymen's Association. The Hotel Peabody, Memphis, Tenn., will be headquarters for the sessions, according to D. P. Henegar, executive secretary.

SHADE TREE CONVENTION

The 37th annual convention of the National Shade Tree Conference will be held August 20 to 25, it was recently announced by Gregory



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J. Lucking, Minneapolis park board, general chairman of the event. The association, of which Dr. J. C. Carter, Illinois Natural History Survey, Urbana, Ill., is president, and Dr. L. C. Chadwick, horticulture department, Ohio State University, Columbus, O., is secretary, will hold its sessions at the Leamington hotel, Minneapolis, Minn.

Among those assisting Mr. Lucking with preparations for the convention are Howard I. Moore, superintendent of parks, Minneapolis, honorary chairman, and Carl L. Holst, assistant horticulturist, Minneapolis park board, vice-chairman.

LANDSCAPE MEN MEET

An outdoor commercial exposition covering two acres will be an innovation at the 62nd annual meeting of the American Society of Landscape Architects, to be held July 10 to 12 at the Harvest House hotel, Boulder, Colo. Sam L. Huddleston, Denver, Colo., is convention chairman of the Rocky Mountain chapter, which will host the convention.

WINS FIELD SCHOLARSHIP

Donald B. White, student in the department of horticulture at the Iowa State University, Ames, was awarded the \$600 Henry Field Seed & Nursery Co. scholarship for 1961. The award, made annually to students in the departments of botany and horticulture, is based on scholarship, leadership qualities and character. The scholarship was established by the Shenandoah, Ia., firm in 1959 as an incentive to encourage and assist students majoring in horticulture and plant sciences. Mr. White, currently working on problems of dwarfing fruit and ornamental plants at Iowa State, will complete his work this spring. He will assume teaching and research responsibilities in turf and ornamentals in the department of horticulture at the University of Minnesota, July 1, 1961.

FINAL attendance figures announced for the third annual world flower and garden show held recently at Chicago's new lake-front convention center, McCormick Place, are 293,258. Being publicized is the fact that this number sets a new top record for attendance at any flower show in the United States.

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Pennsylvanians Discuss Weed and Pest Controls

By Robert P. Meabl

After the opening day's program, February 21, devoted to talks on business management, research findings and garden store operation, as reported in the March 15 issue of the American Nurseryman, attendants at the annual Pennsylvania nurserymen's conference at University Park, Pa., heard speakers on two following days on a variety of topics. Wednesday, the second day, there were talks on plants deserving greater consideration; university campus plant collections; turf problems; sources of business capital, and production of seedlings, liners and quality trees. The concluding day's program included addresses on weed control, control of plant pests and diseases and regulations for pest

Donald Wyman, Arnold Arboretum, Jamaica Plain, Mass., the first speaker of the Wednesday session, discussed "Some New and Better Woody Ornamental Plants." He distributed a list of the better plants, pointed out the outstanding qualities of several of them and illustrated these with colored slides.

Campus Collection

The next speaker was Walter W. Trainer, head, division of landscape planning, the Pennsylvania State University, replacing George Tuoti, Tuoti Landscape Co., Ridgefield, Conn., on the program. Mr. Tuoti was unable to be present because of illness. Mr. Trainer discussed "Building an Ornamental Plant Collection on the Campus." He said there were 673 species and varieties of woody plants on the campus, represented in 6,553 trees and 52,337 shrubs. New species are added as new buildings are landscaped, to test them for adaptability and suitability for central Pennsylvania conditions. The plant collection serves as a laboratory for students in plant materials and also for visitors to observe how plants can be used in good landscape combinations. Mr. Trainer showed, with colored slides, how various plantings of the campus appeared throughout the year.

"Common Turf Problems and Their Remedy" was discussed by John C. Harper II, extension agronomist. A summary of his address

appears as a separate article elsewhere in this issue.

Obtaining Funds

John H. Truby, president of the First National Bank of State College, spoke on "Getting Working Capital and Short-term Loans." He said if the local banker is on his toes he can and will provide financial help to nursery businessmen in their work. Young people often do not inquire regarding the interest rate when seeking a loan to finance a purchase. Mr. Truby said there is a difference on interest rates between various types of lending agen-

When starting out in business, the individual should contact the local banker, preferably having a mutual friend introduce them. The reason for the loan should be explained. The banker will wish to know where the applicant works and has worked. If people who know him give good recommendations, a loan is usually granted.

For amounts of \$500 to \$1,000, a personal loan is granted if the individual has steady work. For amounts over \$1,000, a financial statement is required and a determination of what collateral is available. Preference in collateral in order is real estate, stocks and bonds, life insurance with cash surrender value and an ordinary promissory note co-

signed or endorsed.

In loans for the purchase of real estate, the property must be approved. In addition, the banker needs to learn the know-how of the individual. Mr. Truby urged the payment of notes when due. However, in cases where accounts payable are not received when expected and one is unable to meet the note payment, one should not just wait, but rather go to the banker and explain the situation so he will not think the note is being ignored.

Starting Stock

"Seedling and Liner Production" was the topic discussed by Richard C. Bedger, Musser Forests, Inc., Indiana, Pa. In quality seedling production, the ratio of roots to top is highly important. The plant must



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ISAAC LANGLEY WILLIAMS Exeter, N. H. have enough roots to hold it firmly in the ground and support the top. The size must be normal for the species and must be in relation to the area to be planted. Seedlings in the seedbed will vary in size; thus they should be graded.

Several factors will affect quality. Seed source is highly important, for some plants produce better seeds than others. Vitality of seeds may seem to be satisfactory from highgermination tests, but sometimes the seedlings are weak and get a poor start. It may be necessary to add organic matter to the soil in order to provide the proper condition. Soil fertility is a must. It is best to rotate planting areas and keep one third in cover crops each year and use supplemental fertilization. Spacing should vary with the species; plant pine and spruce 40 to 50 per square foot; hemlock, 35 to 40, and hardwoods and shrubs, 20

Seedlings should be undercut in the fall with a blade. They are left in place and irrigated. In the spring the seedlings are dug, and at Mus-ser's they are crated and stored if dug before growth starts. Use of a humidifier in the grading room will help keep the plants from drying out. Wirebound crates are used for packing, along with peat moss and paper. Rutex has been used on the roots in storage.

Disease and insect control is highly important. Shipments may need to be certified for freedom from Japanese beetles; for this apply dieldrin in the soil, using a spreader. For the pine-shoot moth, spray pines with DDT and malathion the first week in July, then make a sec-ond spraying 10 days later and a third one 10 days after that. Malathion is used for the control of red spiders.

In figuring the costs affecting production, one often forgets many items, such as buildings, equipment and irrigation. The only way to determine the proper price is to know the real cost of production.

William Flemer III, Princeton Nurseries, Princeton, N. J., spoke on "Producing Quality Trees." The

At the banquet Wednesday evening, Dr. Russell E. Larson, head, department of horticulture, gave an illustrated talk on "Six Months in Mexico." Dr. Larson had recently returned from a visit to Mexico, during which he traveled over the country, looking for plants that might be used in horticultural crop improvement.

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Control in the Nursery," by Chiko Haramaki, assistant professor of ornamental horticulture, and Ian Mackay, Conard-Pyle Co., West Grove, Pa. Mr. Haramaki listed several herbicides which had shown promise and gave the suggested concentrations. He warned that these were not recommendations, however, but merely suggestions that might be used on a limited

Weed Control Programs

Mr. Mackay reported on the weed control program as carried on by the Conard-Pyle Co. Before planting, methyl bromide is used: after planting, neburon or Sima-zine, and after harvest, amino triazole or amine 2,4-D. For potting soils, methyl bromide is used at the rate of one pound per cubic foot. Lining-out beds, to be used in late August or September, are also treated with methyl bromide at least three weeks before planting. After planting, lining-out beds are treated with neburon in October and March and again the following October and March with four pounds active per acre at each treatment. After harvest, amino triazole, at the rate of 12 pounds active per acre, is used.

In evergreen fields, before planting, EDB (ethylene dibromide) is used for nematodes at the rate of eight gallons per acre. One week after planting, 60 pounds of 4 per cent granular Simazine per acre is applied. Additional treatments are given in March and October (two and one-half pounds active per acre) until plants are harvested. After harvesting, amino triazole is

For rose fields, EDB is applied in June the year before planting. In late May to June, after planting, the hilling is leveled and 60 pounds of 4 per cent Simazine per acre is applied. In November the plants are hilled up, but no chemical is added. In April the hilling is leveled and Simazine again applied.

In grasslands (cover crops) amine 2,4-D is used, one pint to an acre, twice per season. Soil for containergrown stock is treated with methyl bromide before planting.

Plant Disease Controls

Dr. Spencer Davis, extension plant pathology, Rutgers University, New Brunswick, N. J., speaking on "Effective Plant Disease Control," said that often nurserymen are not particularly interested in noninfectious virus diseases and their control or in resistant varieties, even MAN

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though good methods of control are already available. He suggested that too many are impressed by the high-priced, difficult to use chemicals, which require special equipment, just because they are new. Often these have not been tested sufficiently to determine if they are effective or if they will cause plant damage.

He suggested two pounds of Fermate to 100 gallons of water, applied in the spring before growth starts, for azalea gall; ferbam for fire thorn scab, applied in mid-April, late April and early May. For azalea petal blight, two applications of zineb 10 days apart, in April and again in October, were recommended. Canker on cuttings can be controlled by using ferbam 1/4 to 1/2 per cent at the rate of one pound to 400 pounds of propagation medium. Soil sterilization can be obtained by using methyl bromide-two pounds to 100 square feet. Among the newer materials is phaltan, which has proved effective against mildew and black spot on roses.

Nursery Insect Controls

"Nursery Insects and Their Control" was discussed by Lloyd E. Adams, extension entomologist. He said systemics hold considerable in-

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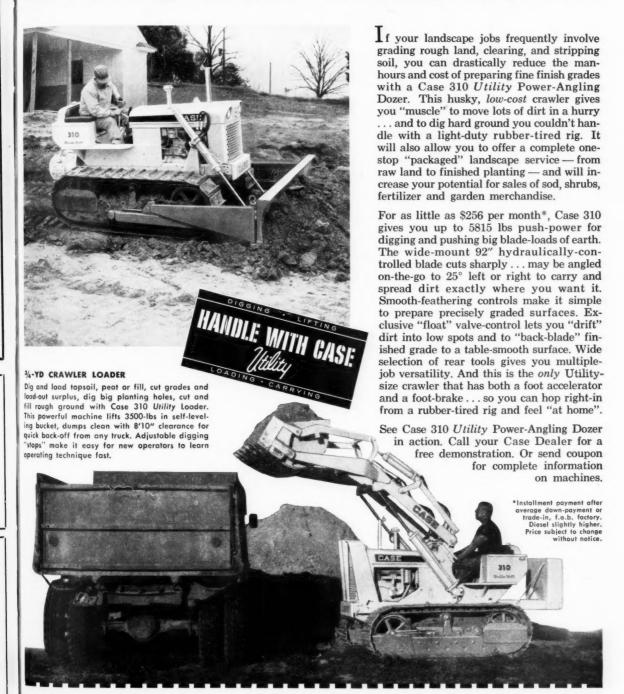
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Among the newer systemics are the following: Demeton (Systox) is good on cotton, greenhouse crops and vegetables. It remains toxic in the plant from one to three weeks and is used mainly as a foliage spray. Phosdrin kills a smaller variety of insects than demeton and does not last so long, usually not more than three days. It is used on food crops before harvesting. Phorate (Thimet) is recommended for nursery crops for leaf miner on birch and box. It can be applied broadcast on each side of the row. It is converted into another chemical, which does the killing. The release of the killing chemical extends over a long period. Usually one application per year is sufficient for nurs-

Other systemics include schradan, highly toxic and probably limited for use; phosphamidon, showing some promise on some woody plants and toxic to gypsy moth; sodium selenate, now less used, since it is too stable and lasts too long, so soil cannot be used for food crop production, and Di-syston, effective against several chewing and sucking insects, but usually used on seeds, since it has shown some toxic effect on plants.

Why are systemics being used? The future looks promising, according to Mr. Adams. Systemics move in the plants and continue to move as the plant grows. One application may be sufficient.

Although phorate has been effective, it should be used only in commercial growing and not on home grounds. It has a strong, disagreeable odor that makes it objectionable for home use. This odor also creates a storage problem.

Regulations for Control

The concluding talk was "Plant Pest Control Regulations," by Mac A. Campbell, supervisor, plant pest control division, United States Department of Agriculture. In Pennsylvania, the main regulations having application are those regarding black stem rust of wheat and barberry, and Japanese beetles. Barberries susceptible to the rust must be destroyed whenever found. New rules have been established for moving nursery stock from Pennsylvania to areas outside the Japanese beetle zone. Shipments will be permitted (1) when in the judgment of

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The William Frederick Dreer scholarship, established according to the will of Miss Augusta N. Dreer, provides \$2,500 to furnish worthy students specializing in floriculture or ornamental horticulture at Cornell University an opportunity to study in foreign countries. Two awards were made in 1960. Lawrence C. Sherk, Port Colborne, Ont., Canada, who received a master of science degree in August, 1960, is at present studying at the Royal Botanical Garden at Edinburgh, Scotland. Martin Cohen, the second recipient, received a bachelor of science in June, 1960, and is studying landscape design at Tokyo and Kyoto, Japan.

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Mr. Flemer pointed out first that variation in strains should be considered when one is choosing lining-out stock of trees. Red maples, native from Maine to Florida, vary in hardiness. Those from Florida are tender and those from the north will not do well in the south. One should choose those that are adaptable for the planting area. Clonal strains are best if it is possible to get them.

The size of the plants is important. They should be at least whips for the small nursery and are better if 2 years old, headed six to eight feet or eight to 10 feet in size. With land value high, it is not advantageous or necessary to keep the larger plants so long, and they are at a stage where one more transplanting is all that will be needed to bring them to 2 to $2\frac{1}{2}$ -inch or 3-inch caliper. This plan allows better use of labor in planting and care.

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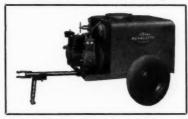
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Mr. Flemer outlined the care of the trees for the first three years. The first year, the 6 to 8-foot plants should be trimmed severely, the leaders being left, but side branches being reduced by two thirds. The hilled area should be sprayed with Simazine as soon as the soil settles after planting. The secret is to put Simazine on when the weeds are small and weak. Clean cultivate during the first summer as often as necessary to control weeds.

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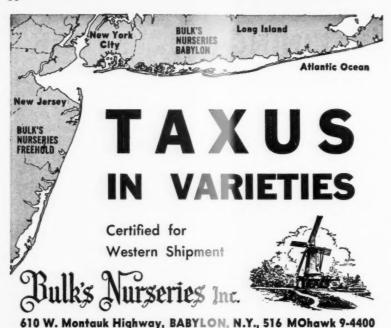
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Moderate pruning should be given in January and February of the third year. At the same time, bagworm cases, if any, can be picked off. The plants should be fertilized in March with one and one-half pounds of 10-6-4 mixture per inch of trunk diameter. In April, spraying should be done for tent caterpillars and cankerworms. Also the mowing of the sod should be started, with the clippings left for mulch. During the season, about four mowings will be necessary. In September, clear any grass or weeds from around trunks of ginkgo and malus.

In later years, the program should follow that of the third year. After plants are sold, culls should be removed, even though one may be tempted to keep them. The soil should be put into sod, the pH adjusted and fertilizer added. The area is then ready for a new crop of trees.

Selecting Varieties To Grow

Mr. Flemer recommended, in selecting the varieties, that one not try to guess the market. Instead, plant moderately, following a sensible program, and repeat each year. Modifications in the list can be made as experience indicates. One should keep records of all inquiries, to help determine the varieties to grow, and should be guided by local conditions. Cork tree and London plane are good for city plantings, while sugar maples are good in rural or suburban areas. It is well to avoid planting varieties that grow fast. These can be purchased as needed.

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Some new clonal material being grown at Princeton includes October Glory red maple, which holds its foliage late; columnar red maple, a cross of red and sugar maple; columnar Norway maple, and Crimson King maple. R. P. M.

ROSE BUYING GUIDE

The American Rose Society announces the release of its "1961 Guide for Buying Roses," an evaluation of 455 old and new roses including hybrid tea, floribunda, climber, grandiflora and miniature. The roses are assigned ratings ranging from 5 (of questionable value) to 10 (perfect), according to reports from more than 5,000 A. R. S. gardeners through the nation.

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Recommendations for establishing and maintaining a lawn in Pennsylvania were offered by John C. Harper II in his address before the Pennsylvania nurserymen's conference held recently at University Park, Pa., and reported elsewhere in this issue. An extension agronomist on the staff of Pennsylvania State University, Mr. Harper began his talk by stating that, contrary to popular belief, topsoil is not necessary for turf.

It is possible, he said, to establish and maintain good turf on subsoil if proper fertilization and organic material are added. Soil preparation by rototilling equipment is not good, since it destroys soil texture. A rotary hoe or a plow is much better.

The best pH for good turf is 6.5, but much of Pennsylvania soil is too acid, with 13 per cent 4.6 to 5.0 and 34 per cent 5.1 to 6.0. Those below 6.5 need lime. Much of the soil is low in phosphorus and potash also. The best plan is to have a soil test made to determine the soil content of the elements named, but, lacking such information, should apply a 0-20-20 fertilizer, working it in four to six inches deep. On heavy soils, 60 to 75 pounds per thousand square feet is recommended, while on sandy soil it is better to use phosphorus alone, 60 to 75 pounds per thousand square feet, and then to suuply potash through the season. Actually, one pound of active nitrogen at seeding is sufficient until the lawn is started; then the regular fertilizer feeding, 20 to 25 pounds per thousand square feet, can begin.

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Fertilization

Proper fertilization gives good color in the fall and helps keep weeds down. It is best to have soil analyzed; then feeding adjustments to meet needs can be made. Usually 10 units of nitrogen are needed; thus a fertilizer formula of 10-5-5 or a 2-1-1 ratio is best. Sources of nitrogen such as ammonium sulphate, ammonium nitrate, sodium nitrate or urea are water soluble and immediately available. These will probably provide luxury con-

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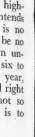
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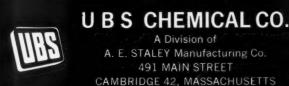
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A tornado severely damaged a warehouse, storage building, barns and outbuildings of the Flower City Nursery, McMinnville, Tenn., March 13. Temporary repairs were made to enable spring orders to be shipped without interruption. The roof of the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tallman Boyd, owners of the nursery, was also blown off. Mr. Boyd stated that the repairs made would be sufficient to finish out the season, at which time remodeling will be done. R. W. B.

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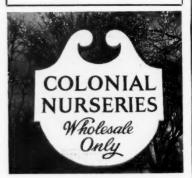
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By E. Sam Hemming

PLANT POLLEN

I suppose there have been systematic studies made of plant pollen, but they all must be buried in scientific libraries. Little seems to be written about it, and even botanical texts confine themselves to the mechanics of pollen formation and to its role in pollination and the subsequent fertilization by the pollen tube.

Nevertheless, even a simple microscopic study of the pollen on the plants around us can be an absorbing pursuit or hobby, revealing a number of unusual facts that lead to rather unexpected observations.

Recently I was looking out of a window and saw a bird seek a perch in the top of a red cedar, jarring loose a cloud of pollen. I sought a bit of the pollen and looked at it under the microscope. The grains were pale yellow, smooth spheres that were almost transparent. A wind-borne pollen, it is light and not sticky; its apparent diameter at 75 power would be about one twentieth of an inch. This would make each grain about 1/1500th of an inch in diameter.

Further calculation would show that it would take about 3,000,000,000,000 grains to fill a cubic inch. Yet each grain is a living plant part, and a single tree may produce enough pollen to discolor the surface of puddles or the ground around the tree.

I found the pollen of Japanese yew to be pale yellow, almost transparent, having a slight iridescence as well as a faint irregularity of spherical surface. It was about the same size as the pollen of the red cedar. Knowing that yews hybridize, I looked at the pollen of the Irish yew and, to my surprise, found it quite different. It is extremely small (about one-half the size of the former) almost white, irregular and somewhat transparent. It seems quite dry, with no stickiness at all, and I found that the grains cannot be crushed with one's finger.

Pollen in Many Shapes

Pollen comes in many shapes. Cryptomeria has a pollen about the same size as that of the red cedar, but it is cork-shaped like a button mushroom, with two rings; the color is yellow green with a dull, rough surface. A limited study of pollen makes one wonder why yellow is the color that best serves the needs of plants.

Among the evergreen shrubs with early flowers I examined two, Korean and pyramidal boxwood; the former pollen was yellow, spherical, dull and rough; the latter, pale yellow, irregular, translucent and rough. The grains were somewhat sticky and measured about 1/1000th of an inch.

Some pollen, dependent on insects or gravity for pollination, is sticky. The pollen of crocus is deep yellow, spherical, large (about 1/500th of an inch), with a slightly rough surface. Any handling makes the grains clump together like bunches of grapes and stick to any object with which they come in contact. Another spring bulb, the chionodoxa, has oblong pollen (the

length two or three times the thickness) pointed at both ends, with a smooth surface and slight translucence.

An interesting pollen is that found on Japanese andromeda. It is very pale yellow, similar in appearance to tiny grains of white quartz sand. It seems slightly transparent and is a little sticky. The size is about 1/2000th of an inch.

Another early plant is the filbert, the pollen of which is pale yellow, transparent, slightly oval and smooth.

In spite of the copious quantities of wind-borne pollen produced by the conifers, it is shed in a brief period of several days, and if that period happens to come during a rainy spell, all is wasted and no pollination takes place. Also it is noted that some of this flowering occurs while winter is still here, and both exotics and natives may bloom early in the year without a definite pattern.

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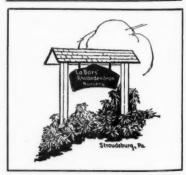
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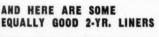
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er of the gardens, the research institute and a rose nursery, as well as several amusement parks, is the Kesei Electric Railway Co., Ltd., of Tokyo, the president of which, Chiharu Kawasaki, was another member of the group, with Jarumi Masuno, who is a travel agency representative, acting as the interpreter.

Dr. E. W. Lyle, director of the Texas Rose Research Foundation, was the party's chief guide at Tyler. Amusement parks, transportation facilities and housing projects across the country were being observed by the visitors.

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Foliage of Picea Abies Inversa

that fill specific needs in modern landscape work. Like the parent, practically all variants of P. abies are exceptionally hardy and easily grown, being tolerant of a wide range of soil composition and suffering little from rugged climatic extremes within their proved zone. While moisture, available in sufficient amount, does much to assure maximum development, like all spruces, they will not tolerate "wet feet.'

A smaller-maturing variety of P. abies is P. a. inversa. The plant pictured on the cover is located in a situation conducive to good conifer growth and is only about seven feet high after more than 35 years. Densely branched, pendulous in habit, with the branchlets so closely adpressed that they resemble clustered strands of Spanish moss from a distance, this unusual evergreen

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Chicago Landscape Group Hears Talk on Tree Values

Trees having much value for landscape planting but too seldom used were the subject of the featured talk by Edward Eickhof, Eickhof Nurseries, Bensenville, Ill., at a meeting of the Chicago Metropolitan Landscaper's Association held March 31 at Louis Place, Addison, Ill.

Another speaker, John C. Fiori, Charles Fiori Nurseries, Inc., Prairie View, Ill., told the group that millions of dollars had been appropriated by the state of Illinois for landscape work on highways but was never posted for landscape contractors. Mr. Fiori urged the contractors to write to their representatives with the purpose of making it possible for the landscape man to contract for the work himself instead of working through a road builder.

Mr. Fiori also commented on pressing labor problems in the industry. This matter was to be the main topic at the April 10 meeting of the association.

Pamphlets and other literature on trees and shrubs and weed control were available to members without charge, along with samples of fertilizers. Applications for gas savings refunds were said to be still available.

Tree Recommendations

Mr. Eickhof opened his discussion of trees with remarks about several desirable maples. The columnar Norway maple, the first one mentioned, is slower growing than the well-known Norway maple. The leaf is quite similar, and this variety also assumes the yellow fall coloring. This tree is well adapted to limited-space areas and for accent in some landscape designs. It is hardy and transplants readily, though it requires some trimming to keep it shapely and to check some of the fast-growing branches.

The Schwedler maple has been grown for many years and retains its popularity. Its leaves of reddish purple in spring and early summer turn a bronzy green later in the season. Some years, in midsummer, after an abundance of rainfall, the new leaves on the current season's growth are a vivid red, adding a beautiful and unusual touch to the coloring when the adult foliage on the tree is green.

The Crimson King maple, of

more recent introduction, is gaining in popularity. Its leaves of reddish purple in spring and early summer turn a darker color later in the season. It is slightly slower growing than either the Schwedler or Norway maples, though it transplants readily and develops a shapely, well-rounded top. The color adds an unusual contrast to the landscape, for in the spring most foliage is green, and the addition of the reddish-purple foliage of Crimson King is interesting.

Scarlet Maple

The scarlet maple is another exceptionally fine tree, especially if the brilliant fall coloring is desired, Mr. Eickhof continued. This variety is slower growing than the Norway maple, though it also becomes a large tree, with a broad, rounded top. Its bark is of a silvery-tan color, and the blooms of this variety are a vivid scarlet and add much to the early spring coloring when the leaves are reddish bronze. The fall foliage color varies from bright yel-

low to orange, and on some trees to bright scarlet. It will thrive in moist locations where some of the other varieties of hard maples will not survive. This is an important factor when using maple trees in landscape design.

The Spaeth sycamore maple is little known, yet deserves a place in good landscaping. The leaves are of a thick, leathery texture, the upper surface a rich, dark green and the underside of the leaf a beautiful purple color. The purple underside of the leaves shows noticeably when the wind turns them, producing an interesting and colorful effect. The growth rate is similar to that of the Norway maple.

Sugar Maple

The sugar maple is quite well known to most. Though slower growing, it should be planted more extensively, for its fall coloring is outstanding, varying from golden yellow to orange and scarlet on some trees. Here, too, the fall coloring varies with individual trees.

Soil nutrients and compositions play a large role in foliage coloring on many plants, and this holds true with the sugar and scarlet maples, the speaker pointed out. Color contrast should be stressed in good land-

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Redbud

Another tree, or shrublike tree, of

much value in good landscape de-

sign and too seldom used is the

redbud, Cercis canadensis. If propa-

gated and grown in the Chicago

area it is definitely hardy and can

be used to excellent advantage in

most landscape plantings, according

to Mr. Eickhof. It is one of the

earliest of the flowering trees to bloom in the spring, and the red-

dish-purple miniature sweet pea-like

flowers attract much attention. It

can be used in multiple or single-

stem form and is highly effective

when used in naturalistic plantings,

though it may be planted in foun-dation or group plantings on resi-

dential, school, industrial or park

The redbud is also effective when

used with a base planting of inter-

mediate compact yews. Other dwarf

flowering trees may be planted to

achieve a similar effect. Combin-

ing plant material of contrasting

character should be stressed, the

A newer variety, the white-flow-

ering redbud, Cercis canadensis

alba, was introduced a few years

Cercis chinensis, the Chinese redbud, still limited in quantity,

has beautiful pink blooms and is

said to be a profuse bloomer. Ef-

forts are being made to acclimate

this variety and prove its hardiness

Honey locust, Gleditsia triacan-

thos, either the thornless or the

thorn bearing, is rapidly gaining in

popularity and deservedly so. It is an excellent lawn tree, though it should seldom be used in limited parkway plantings, for its nearly

horizontal-branching habit tends to produce too broad-headed a tree for

A number of patented varieties

of honey locust are now available,

said to be thornless and podless.

Some purchasers still prefer thornbearing trees, claiming that these

trees are closer and more evenly branched, and some find the red-

colored thorns attractive, adding character to the individual tree.

More honey locusts should be plant-

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SHERMAN NURSERY CO. CHARLES CITY, IA. styraciflua, is an exceptionally fine tree, though it must be acclimated to the Chicago area, the speaker remarked. It has starlike leaves, which turn color in fall; they range from yellow through shades of orange and vivid red, while some are still green. It has a light gray, knobby bark, which adds interest and character to this tree.

Chinese Magnolia Useful

The saucer, or Chinese hybrid magnolia, M. soulangiana, is an-other plant of good character and form. While the magnolia is often referred to as a tree, the varieties grown in the northern areas are more shrublike in growth. Too few of the early-flowering plants are used, and the magnolia is one that should have a place in most plantings, where it can be used for accent or in group arrangements. Here, too, some of the dwarf or slow-growing yews may be used as base plantings. When propagated and grown in the Chicago area soulangiana is definitely hardy. It is a profuse bloomer.

Oaks

Oaks, especially the pin oak, Quercus palustris, should be planted in greater numbers, it was said. This tree transplants readily, makes rapid growth, is sturdy and is of excellent character and form. Its foliage attains beautiful fall coloring, ranging from yellow to orange and red. In the nursery the pin oak makes from two to two and one-half and even three feet of new branch growth in a season. The branches are horizontal in habit of growth, especially as the trees attain considerable size.

Red oak, Quercus rubrum, also assumes good fall coloring. It is a sturdy, long-lived tree, attaining a broad, rounded top.

The bur oak, Quercus macrocarpa, has larger leaves than the pin or red oak; these leaves turn a bronzy-yellow color in fall. The bark is light gray and of a rough texture. This variety, too, attains a broad, rounded top; is sturdy and rugged in appearance, and should be planted more extensively, especially on larger grounds.

The pyramidal American linden, Tilia platyphyllos, should be used more often, where planting space is limited, such as in narrow parkways or between buildings where trees are required. It transplants readily, growth is of medium rate and it is definitely hardy at Chicago. It is unsurpassed where a heavy screen planting is desired.

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Mimosa Webworm **Attacking Locusts** In Several States

Mimosa webworm, first found in Indiana in 1953, has spread over the southern half of the state and to some northern counties, attacking both mimosa and honey locust trees. The wide use of newer clones of thornless honey locust trees enhances the importance of consideration of the insect, stated Dr. Donald L. Schuder, of the Purdue University department of entomology, in a paper presented at this year's meeting of the Indiana Nurserymen's Association.

First found in the United States in 1940 in the District of Columbia, the insect is now distributed chiefly in Maryland, Delaware, Virginia, Tennessee, Arkansas, the southern portion of Ohio and Indiana, southeast Missouri and in scattered spots farther south.

Damage is caused by the feeding and webbing of the larvae. The webworm feeds on both the foliage and fruit of mimosa. On honey locust trees the larvae web the foliage together, forming tunnellike shelters. These webs may contain several larvae, which eat off the lower surface of the leaflets, causing them to turn brown as if scorched by fire. The injury becomes particularly noticeable in August, when the second generation's injury is added to that of the first. When small trees are heavily attacked, the larvae spin down on silken threads and leave the trees in search of a new food supply.

The adult webworm is a silvery gray moth, the wings of which are stippled with black dots and about one-half inch in spread. The moths of the first generation appear in June, and those of the second emerge in late July and early August. The tiny oval eggs, hatching in three or four days, are pearly white when first laid and become pink as the larvae de-velop inside. The larvae are less than one-half inch long when full grown. The pupa is yellowish brown, about one-fourth inch long and covered with a whitish silken cocoon. The pupae are found in sheltered places on the ground and trunk and occasionally among the dead leaflets in the web. On thorny locusts the pupae may occur among the clumps of thorns.

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WINTER DAMAGE REPORTS

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and azaleas were killed outright at the top of the plants, but even the lightest top protection—as little as a projecting leaf—was sufficient to keep a bud in first-class condition.

"All this will have a marked effect upon stock available for sale here in the east this spring, as follows:

"There is virtually no really firstclass stock available around here, that is, plants without damage of any kind, excepting in deciduous material.

"Damage, while making most plants less sightly and therefore less salable, has not affected the basic soundness of the plants. They can therefore, in most cases, be sold with confidence in their successful development.

"Prospects for business look excellent, because damage has been widespread in home gardens as well, but both retailers and customers will have to accept material which looks rather weather-beaten.

"It seems clear that open field growing of broad-leaved evergreens without some measure of protection through the winter is foolish. This will mean a heavy capital investment, but I see no other way of producing good, salable plants in the spring."

Snow an Aid in Maryland

Ample snow covering is believed to have protected most stock in the cold period, states G. Willard Stoner, Westminster Nurseries, Inc., Westminster, Md., in these comments:

"The eastern seaboard experienced a severe winter. In Maryland the winter started December 11 with extremely cold weather and 14 inches of snow, and through the rest of December and January to mid-February there was a total of 48 inches of snow, with constant subnormal temperatures. At Westminster, with high altitude, the snow in

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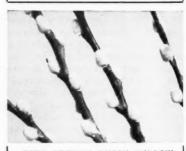
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some respects was a benefit, covering most of the plants and protecting them from high winds and zero weather. For the most part, our stock is in excellent condition, excluding Ligustrum lucidum, which normally shows damage; English boxwood, slightly damaged but salable, and Mahonia bealei and aquifolium, slightly damaged. Azaleas and rhododendrons, which we had protected, are in good condition, as are all Japanese hollies.

"There was minor damage to flowering shrubs and a few flowering

trees from rabbits.

"In areas to the east and south, including the Eastern Shore, Maryland, Delaware and southern New Jersey, reports we have been receiving indicate the damage was extensive. Yews, rhododendrons and most other broad-leaved evergreens in some areas are not salable. It is my opinion that these areas did not have the snow protection that was available in the Westminster area. In view of the fact that wholesale growers in the damaged areas who are normally a source of supply for certain categories of stock may not have such stock to offer this spring, many items may be extremely short in

"March has been more seasonable, with average or above-normal temperatures, but extremely wet. However, digging operations have been in progress. Bookings are extremely heavy and above normal. At this writing we anticipate an increase in the demand for nursery stock in this

area."

Pennsylvania Aspects

"There was comparatively little winter damage in southeastern Pennsylvania," according to Sidney B. Hutton, Jr., Conard-Pyle Co., West Grove, Pa. "Some broad-leaves and azaleas show winter burn, but taxus and all other evergreens seem okay.

"The Eastern Shore, I understand, had severe damage to broadleaved evergreen and some to taxus. Southern New Jersey has serious damage again, mainly on broadleaves and also extending more

seriously to taxus.

"A nurseryman north of Baltimore reported little or no winter

damage.

"I believe the explanation as to why we have none here and why southern New Jersey does is because we had more snow on the ground. Our ground never froze deeply, so that the root systems of the plants were able to obtain moisture during periods of thaw, which in our be-



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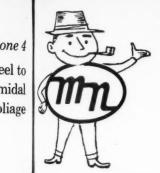
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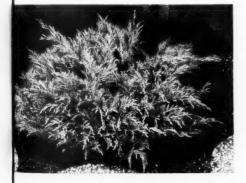
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Data on winter damage reported by Neil L. Hetz, Fairview Evergreen Nurseries, Fairview, Pa., follow:

"The combination of prolonged cold temperatures in this area, with bright sun and wind, had an adverse effect on hybrid rhododendrons, ilex, pieris and evergreen-type azaleas. Snow cover during this period was only a few inches, much below normal, so that this usual protection was lacking. In fact, the bright sunlight reflected from the snow aggravated the situation so that foliage above the snow cover was burned as badly as we have ever seen it. Buds on practically all hybrid rhododendrons and evergreen-type azaleas are blasted.

"All Ilex crenata, regardless of variety, were burned above the snow line except where they were protected from the wind. The exception is the 2-year ilex, which seemed to come through in good shape.

"On the bright side of the picture, taxus, juniper, arborvitae, chamaecyparis, common shrubs and shade trees came through in beautiful con-

"An interesting observation was that a few Berckmans biota in the field row with no protection came through with no damage whatsoever, in spite of a 15 degree below zero temperature."

Lake County Damage

"Bright sun, little snow and severe zero and subzero temperatures in December and January caused considerable damage to some nursery stock in Ohio's Lake county," states Marie Brandstaetter, secretary of the Lake County Nurserymen's Associa-

"Most nurserymen who were contacted for comments stated that damage was largely confined to burning of foliage on broad-leaved stock in general.

"Most severely damaged were boxwood; holly varieties, and ericaceous plants, including heather. Beside extensive foliage injury on azaleas and rhododendrons, flower buds also were blasted, and some nurserymen reported that even wood was frozen on azaleas, especially the evergreen types. One grower reported this is the first year young evergreens, particularly small taxus and white pines, lined out the previous fall were hurt.

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will be no sale of Pieris japonica this spring, because much of the heavy wood froze back. Wood on mahonia also was damaged, and Pyracantha coccinea lalandi froze back harder this winter than ever before. A little browning on hemlocks was also reported.

"A large grower at Perry reported little winter loss, and damage was confined to foliage, the plants themselves not being injured.

"Reports varied as to damage in different sections of the county. Nursery stock that had been protected under lath shades or reed mats was spared injury. The past midwinter months were said to have been the worst since the winter of 1947-48, when similar weather conditions existed."

Further Ohio Report

"Winter damage was not serious, and with most varieties we find just normal leaf burning or twig damage," writes Howard N. Scarff, Scarff's Nursery, Inc., New Carlisle, O. He adds:

"Taxus shows just a little more foliage burn than we usually expect, especially in the younger blocks, where growth was vigorous. Larger salable sizes were least affected. Mahonia foliage was completely burned, which usually occurs with us.

"The following varieties showed considerable twig damage, especially in the younger field plants: Euonymus Newport, Golden Vicary privet, Lonicera fragrantissima and weigela.

"Pyracanthas are showing some tip damage, where unprotected, but central canes seem to be all right. We are not growing any Japanese holly, but I understand it suffered considerable foliage injury in some locations.

"Our younger fields of boxwood suffered some from dehydration going into the winter, showing some light tip damage. Older plants just browned more than usual, but have greened up well with the spring rains.

"Spring weather was fully three weeks early here in southwest Ohio, and at this writing (March 20) we are in the midst of our seasonal digging and deliveries.

"Most nurseries in this area are anticipating a healthy spring season, both wholesale and retail. Early business to date seems to bear this out.

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Container Stock, Weed Control, Among Topics at Ohio School

By Fred K. Buscher

Dr. K. W. Reisch, Ohio State University, Columbus, urged Cleveland area nurserymen attending the winter school of the Cuyahoga County Nurserymen's Association not to dismiss container growing as a mere gimmick, but to consider seriously its potentialities for increased production and sales.

Other faculty members of the university and experiment station speaking at the sessions held February 23 at the Lake Shore Country Club, Cleveland, presented recommendations for chemical weed control in the nursery, a discussion of quality in ornamental trees and reports on Ohio plant diseases and insects.

Award to Buscher

The event was also marked by presentation of an honorary affiliate membership in the Ohio Nurserymen's Association to Fred K. Buscher, Cuyahoga county agricultural agent. Joseph Kern, Kern Rose Nursery, Mentor, presented the framed membership plaque in recognition of Mr. Buscher's extension work with the nursery trade.

Opening the morning session, Dr. Reisch stated that too many growers consider container-grown stock a gimmick and overlook the possibilities for increased production and sales that it offers. California growers, who produce 30,000 to 35,000 container-grown plants per acre as compared with the 5,000 to 8,000 plants per acre produced in Ohio, have found that as the demand for container-grown plants increases, so also does the demand for larger-size materials.

Container-grown plants can extend the planting season, reduce loss in transplanting and encourage earlier sales, and growth can be more closely and easily controlled through the recommended cultural practices. Some of these practices, however, were cited as disadvantages of the system. For example, frequent irrigation and fertilization are necessary, along with adequate winter protection.

Dr. Reisch recommended that nurserymen learn the facts of container production before including it in their operations and heed carefully the cultural requirements of container stock. The growing medium should be sterilized and well drained and should be duplicated from one year to the next, though the choice of a specific soil mix is not so important as proper cultural methods. Ohio growers of container stock, he advised, will probably find a period of trial and error unavoidable. Local weather conditions, for instance, will influence the selection of stock that can be grown profitably.

Weed Control

Reviewing chemical control of weeds in the nursery, Marvin C. Carbonneau, extension floriculturist, stated that weed control programs should be begun prior to field planting, by creating a weed-free area, and should include cultural and chemical methods.

Where thistle, quack grass, bindweed and other species are problems, herbicide applications should be made before field liners are transplanted into the area, when one can use a concentration of the chemical high enough to kill noxious weeds easily. Many broad-leaved weeds, however, are readily killed by herbicides in field rows without injury to the stock, large established plants being more tolerant in this regard than liners. Layered plants can be damaged by 2, 4-D herbicides.

Herbicides mentioned for control of noxious weeds were amino triazole for Canada thistle, Dowpon (dalapon) for quack grass, and 2,4-D (amine salt) for bindweed. Broadleaved weeds and grasses in shade tree blocks can be controlled with amino triazole. For a general cleanup of weeds between frames, walks, etc., a combination of Dowpon and amino triazole can be used.

General weed control in nursery stock in the fall to prevent early spring weed growth can be accomplished with Simazine at one and one-half to two pounds per acre. It can be used in early spring applications as a pre-emergence weed spray. Spring and summer applications of Simazine and combinations of Sesone and Telvar have shown promise.

Mr. Carbonneau emphasized the necessity of reading herbicide labels thoroughly before application. He stressed that growers without previous experience or information should

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contact their county agents or extension specialists before attempting to apply weed killers.

Factors in Tree Choice

In his presentation, Dr. L. C. Chadwick, department of horticulture, O. S. U., cited four considerations in tree selection, the first of which was the soil condition and general environment in which the tree is to grow. The tree's suitability for a certain location, such as beneath utility wires or bordering a parking area, was the second consideration, the third being the over-all effect of the tree in shape and appearance.

The final factor and the most difficult to assess is quality. Quality must be measured with reference to the species or variety in question and is affected by hardiness, durability, adaptability and longevity. Nurserymen preoccupied with production problems often neglect quality standards, stated Dr. Chadwick. Ease of transplanting or fast growth for quick sales does not determine tree quality.

He considers habit of growth, fruit, flowers and foliage a tree's main characteristics. Since no plant is totally immune to insects or disease, this characteristic is not a primary one. Nor is tree removal cost an important factor, according to Dr. Chadwick, if the tree fills a need while it is alive.

Robert Partyka, extension plant pathologist, described the diseases most frequently reported in Ohio last year, including scab of pyracantha and flowering crab apple, hawthorn rust, juniper blight, anthracnose of oak and sycamore and black spot and powdery mildew of rose. Increasing were bacterial crown galls of herbaceous and woody plants and virus diseases. In his remarks on control, Mr. Partyka stressed the importance of using spreader-stickers in fungicide spray solutions.

Prevalent Insects

Experiment station entomologist R. B. Neiswander presented control measures for the insects and mites most often reported by state nursery inspectors in Ohio nurseries during 1960.

They included bagworms, European pine-shoot moth, leaf hoppers, Japanese beetle, pine-bark aphis and eastern spruce-gall aphis. Five species of leaf miner among the more important pests reported were birchleaf miner, arborvitae-leaf miner, azalea-leaf miner and the American holly and inkberry-leaf miner.

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WASHINGTON SHOW

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semiformal rose garden with beds of the firm's leading rose varieties surrounding a grassy area. A raised brick bed on the right-hand side of the garden was planted with a garden of the firm's miniature rose varieties, with all the materials used in the garden also in miniature scale.

Gustin Gardens, Inc., Rockville, Md., was awarded a first prize for a garden with a Japanese influence. The garden, planted in the foreground of a facade of a Japanese house, featured all of the basic elements of Japanese garden design. Some of the plants used included andromeda, cut-leaved Japanese maple, ferns, pine and spring bulbs.

Hill's Camellia Gardens, Arlington, Va., won a first prize for a terraced garden using weathered railroad ties, with each terraced area planted with camellias and heather. A terraced area in the center held a modern metal statue.

Heronwood Nursery, Upperville, Va., was given a first prize for a garden which featured three specimen topiary boxwoods.

Summit Hall Turf Farm, Gaithersburg, Md., won first prize for a formal green and white turf garden enclosed with a flagstone wall. A raised planting bed which faced the entrance held white tulips and azaleas, with two flowering camellia shrubs alongside a stone garden statue. Boxwood used at each side of the entrance was underplanted with ivy.

J. T. Patton & Sons, Silver Springs, Md., gained second prize for a semiformal garden which featured a lawn area edged with yellow

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chrysanthemums. Broad-leaved evergreens were used as a background.

A. Gude Sons Co., Rockville, Md., won a first prize for an azalea garden, with Louis Hahn & Sons, Pittsburgh, Pa., second in the same competition. The Hahn firm won a first prize for an azalea and rhododendron garden.

Jack T. Irwin, Inc., Rockville, Md., was given a second prize for an informal rock garden. Lawn Golf Turf Grass Engineering, Springfield, Va., was the recipient of a second prize for a miniature putting green area. Thomas E. Carroll & Sons, Silver Spring, Md., showed a simulated green area as part of an over-all garden design.

SELECTIVE SELLING [Concluded from page 6]

ence would be the most fruitful field for selective advertising. This avenue is already used by landscape firms issuing monthly or quarterly information circulars or letters. It can be greatly enlarged.

The do-it-yourself market is said to be the second largest. Possibly packaged services and even packaged plantings might be developed to speed and enlarge sales in this category.

The Athens survey emphasized that the older established homes should not be forgotten, for they are important prospects for sales of stock, and they could be made even more important by developing owners' interest in plants and the appearance of their premises.

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PLANT NOTES HERE AND THERE

By C. W. Wood

Odds and Ends

I have been going over my old notebooks, collecting brief notes which I thought might interest American Nurseryman readers and also might contain hints to be used profitably in their own work. They are too short for extended comment, so will be further condensed for use in this "odds and ends" department.

One year I propagated too many hepaticas; so, before winter arrived. I potted about 100 and put them in a frame, where they would be available when wanted. The pots were brought into gentle heat about four or five weeks before they were wanted in bloom, and were marketed through florists' shops in surrounding towns at a fair profit.

If one has access to a quantity of native cypripediums, including C. acaule, C. candidum and what we formerly knew as C. pubescens, they may be handled like hepaticas previously mentioned for March and April flowering.

I had a letter recently from an English friend which contained a note on the golden oak, Quercus alnifolia, that may contain a hint for growers who are interested in bonsai. He wrote, in part, as follows:

"I have a 6-year-old specimen of the golden oak in a 6-inch pot which is now about two feet tall. It could have been kept lower than that if I had root-pruned it more, given it poorer soil and had used the knife on it. I keep it in my unheated alpine house. The species comes from Cyprus, so is not hardy enough for open-air culture in the midlands. As you probably know, the golden felt which covers the underside of the evergreen leaves is what gives the plant the ornamental value.

Without entering into a fruitless discussion of the naming of the plant which we formerly knew as Geranium subcaulescens, may I offer a few suggestions on the plant? I recently came upon a note in a 1948 notebook on G. subcaulescens, now made a variety of G. cinereum. It read as follows: "A new batch of plants grown from seeds saved in an English garden, in which color variations of that species, G. argenteum and G. cinereum have been selected, gave us a hint of what they have in store for the investigator. There were

two or three plants with cherry-red flowers, a shade rare in the genus. There are several so-called reds, but they usually have blue in their makeup, are rosy red, or a poor shade of magenta." I did not have time to pursue the matter further, so turned the plants over to a friend in Texas, who lost them because of a string of unpreventable accidents. But it points out the fact that the hardy geraniums may be made to yield a good red color.

Paeonia Woodwardi

I came upon a note recently in one of my old garden books which may benefit growers in areas a little warmer than northern Michigan. It concerns a plant received here in seeds as Paeonia Woodwardi, which may be the same as P. woodwardiana, mentioned in "Hortus" as a "listed name." I know nothing about its botanical standing and am not greatly interested, but I am interested in its garden value. And that must be great, perhaps south of the Ohio. It has appeared in my trials for four or five years.

It came to me as P. woodwardi from western China, apparently from the same territory as P. veitchi: in fact it has so many close resemblances to the latter that botanists may finally decide that it is a variant of that species, but it is quite distinct in many garden ways. I shall forego a comparison of the two kinds, for I doubt if the differences would be of interest to nurserymen readers, but will examine woodwardi briefly from the garden standpoint. It made clumps of deeply divided leaves, much on the order of P. vietchi, with slightly arching stems bearing from one to several single flowers, to three or four inches across, with crimped petals in varying shades of pink, commencing by mid-June. The variation in flower color offers the plant breeder a fertile field for his prowess, in

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my opinion. It seemed undemanding in my trials, doing well in several situations, but perhaps best in the light shade of a sparsely-leaved wild cherry tree. Unfortunately it did not prove to be entirely hardy and finally succumbed.

I had not seen the yellow root, Xanthorhiza simplicissima (Zanthorhiza apiifolia) for several years when I saw a nice planting of it last fall after the leaves had taken on their lovely bronzed tones before falling. That reminded me that the plant is especially desirable when fall color is wanted.

It is a deciduous, small (two feet or so) shrub of the crowfoot family, with deeply toothed, pinnate (three to five leaflets) leaves, to three inches in length. These leaves are the plant's fortune so far as the gardener is concerned, the small, purplish flowers being of little ornamental value. It grows naturally along streams in the eastern states from New York to Georgia. Propagation is from divisions of the creeping roots.

This is a brief note on a western skullcap, Scutellaria tuberosa, which may interest readers in the warmer part of the nation. I find it in my notes for 1935, after two trials from different parts of the west (Carl Purdy in California and Fred Borsch in Oregon).

"Scutellaria tuberosa seems to be unique in the genus in that its roots become fat with age, reminding one somewhat of Asparagus sprengeri. These tuberous roots run all through the area surrounding the plant and

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The Purdy plants were definitely not hardy, but I kept the Oregon stock going for several years. However, I believe it could prove troublesome in the south if used in border plantings; on the other hand, if introduced into unconsidered places or on dry sunny banks, where little else will grow, it is likely to be most helpful.

Diotis Candidissima

The first inquiry I have is on the European cottonweed, Diotis candidissima. Although the letter does not say so, the inquirer lives in a section of heavy clay soil, so I should expect some trouble in its culture unless special pains are taken to give it perfect drainage.

Diotis is a monotypic genus of the composite family, inhabiting the seashores of western Europe, where it is always assured of good drainage -preferably in sunshine. In my experience, no plant with cottony leaves can be happy for any length of time in a heavy soil that is not well drained. Even in light soil, D. candidissima did not long survive when it was grown in frames and ice froze over the crowns in spring; in the field, however, where water drained away rapidly, it was long lived and always presentable. There, it would create a lovely carpet of white woolly leaves, about a halfinch long, reminding one, in some ways, of the dusty miller. The flower heads, closely resembling the achilleas, appeared in August and early September in my trials, on stems six to eight inches in length. It is easily grown from fall-sown seeds and from cuttings in spring.

Hepatica

A Vermont reader writes, in part, as follows: "Is Hepatica americana a likely sales subject? How can it be propagated? Can you get separate colors only by division, or might the seeds come true?"

My first impulse was to say without any qualifications that hepatica is a good sales item, but second thought leads me to state that local conditions might prove otherwise. For instance, if one operated in a rural area where hepaticas grew naturally on every hand, there might roots a soil lition pikes for a

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n a rew ight not be any market for the plants. And I suppose there are sophisticated gardeners who do not care for the natives, others who only use plants which make a big showing in their gardens, and still others whose interests run only to flowers for the modern obsession—flower arranging. But generally speaking, I should expect good hepaticas to be one of the neighborhood grower's main

spring items.

As the inquirer no doubt knows, hepatica flower color is highly variaable, running from white and cream through myriad shades of pink to lavender, blue and purple. Most of its colors are desirable and may be grown from fall-sown seeds, but when one finds an outstanding shade, then vegetative reproduction must be resorted to. And that, so far as I know, is best done by division of the crowns in August, wintering the divisions in leafy soil in a protected frame.

Inula Royleana

I am sure it is safe to tell a North Carolina read that Inula royleana would be entirely hardy in that state. It is not really tender and should be hardy as far north as the Ohio river. Where it is hardy (it was not reliably so here in northern Michigan), it should make an ornament in the sunny garden. It has the amiable traits of the inula tribe, being satisfied with almost anything one has to offer in the way of care. Its height of 20 inches will tell one that it is well-suited to a forward place in the border, and its behavior will tell one it is best in a rich soil in full sun. It was at its best here, according to my notes, in August, a most propitious time for a plant to put on its performance to attract the favorable attention of gardeners. Its offering is big (to four or five inches in diameter), golden suns, narrow petaled and slightly reflexed. It may be grown with ease from seeds planted in late fall or early spring and from divisions. In fact plants should be divided every third or fourth year if they are to be kept at their best.

Erythronium Culture

A Missouri reader reports that he has been having trouble with western erythroniums and wonders what is wrong with his method, which includes planting the bulbs in a leafy soil in part shade and keeping weeds under control. I am not sure that I can tell him all he wants to know, but I can recapitulate the conclusions I reached after several years of efforts, working in the dark soon

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after the bulbs were made available to eastern gardeners by Carl Purdy, Theodore Payne and a few other western collectors in the early years of this century.

When I commenced to grow them, it was largely a matter of trial and error, with the result that several kinds, which I later found were inhabitants of the high mountains, proved to be so intractable that the entire group earned a poor reputation in my mind.

If I had read Applegate's studies then, I should have known that the kinds with unmottled, green leaves and generally white, cream or vellow flowers belong to the section called concolorae by the botanists, that they are mostly mountaineers and almost without exception are difficult of cultivation in lowland gardens. These include, among others, E. grandiflorum, E. montanum, E. purpurascens and E. tuolumnense. Unless one welcomes headaches, these could well be left alone.

On the other hand, the section known to the botanists as pardalinae, which are generally lowlanders, can be approached with some degree of confidence of success, if one remembers a few essentials: Maintain a well-drained soil; provide moisture while the plants are in a vegetative state, and offer them shelter from the sun, at least in the climate of the midwest. The shade of evergreens is not needed, as one sometimes reads, and in general was detrimental in my trials. But moisture during the plant's vegetative period is most essential.

Use of seeds is the only feasible method of propagation that I know. It is, however, a slow process but quite sure in the hands of the careful gardener. The place where trouble is likely to crop up is in handling the bulbs. I quickly learned, after receiving desiccated bulbs from collectors, that poor handling had been the source of poor results as

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reported by amateur gardeners through the years. And it did not take long to establish the fact that the bulbs must not be exposed to a dry atmosphere for any length of time. So it was not surprising when I found that bulbs put in damp moss as soon as dug and kept there until planted again, be the period two days or two weeks, meant success rather than disappointment.

GARDEN CENTER COURSE

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effective merchandising tool. The short season in Minnesota opens the opportunity to sell equipment and materials for semishelter that will help extend the outdoor season.

Hugh Slugg, W. G. Slugg Seed & Fertilizer, Inc., spoke of the "Rights of Merchandising" as follows:

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Noting that garden tools are difficult to merchandise, being extremely competitive with other market sources, Mr. Slugg advised that tie-in sales have been effective in marketing these items.

The layout should be planned to maximize display space. Ideally, shelves should be placed shoulder high. Demand items should be placed strategically to take advantage of impulse buying. The garden center operator may find it helpful to make a diagram of his store and scale models of his display fixtures. Using these, he can try various arrangements in order to develop the best sales area for the store.

Care of Plants

Poor planting stock is poor public relations. One dead rosebush means one lost customer. It is the responsibility of the garden store operator to place in the hands of the customer a plant that is living, in good condition and capable of growth. These and the following points were brought out in a talk presented by Dr. John P. Mahlstede, Iowa State University, Ames.

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The last speaker on the program, Dr. A. E. Hutchins, department of horticulture, University of Minnesota, explained how research is conducted to form the basis for univer-

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Long Island Tree Meeting Features Elections, Talk on Fruit Tree Pruning

By Robin Todd

Lawrence Borger, Bayside, was elected president of the Long Island Arborists' Association at a recent meeting. Also named were Dennis Maud, Patchogue, first vice-president; Olaf Viste, Huntington, second vice-president, and Charles Burst, Huntington, third vice-president. Prof. Daniel Dowd, New York State University, Farmingdale, L. I., was elected secretary-treasurer.

Professor Dowd will serve on the board of directors, as will Nick Manella, Brightwaters, past president, and Robert Felix Hempstead, a newly named member. William Titus, Nassau county extension service, and Robert Brewster, Suffolk county extension service, are exofficio members of the board.

Pruning Fruit Trees

Prof. Norman Foote, head of the department of agriculture at the New York State university at Farmingdale, spoke on pruning apples, pears and peaches at the past meeting of the group. In order to insure good bloom, Professor Foote suggested annual pruning. He thought that on a mature tree at least one tenth should be removed each year. He conceded that fruit trees grown in urban areas are grown primarily for their flowers, as it is usually cheaper for homeowners in metropolitan counties to buy fruit rather than produce it. He felt that these trees nevertheless should be pruned annually.

Although pruning may stimulate growth, especially near the cut, most of the time it is a dwarfing, stunting or shocking jolt to any tree. In addition to pruning, the arborist should also fertilize the tree. The carbohydrate ratio of 40 to 1 of nitrogen is desirable. For this reason, during fruit bud differentiating, it is important to have a good dark green color in the leaves of the trees.

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perhaps talk over the subject with the client. The ideal shape of an apple or pear tree is oblong, though a pear tree should be more columnar than an apple tree. Most orchards follow the rule that trees should be two times as wide as they are high. Peach trees bloom on younger than 1-year-old wood; so when pruning such trees, one should remember that the wood is weaker and good crotches should be developed constantly; also there is more whittling, or the making of small cuts.

After observing the shape of the tree, the next step one should take is to go around each tree once and perform the major cuts first, then go around a second time and make the small cuts. Next, use a ladder and from its added height make all necessary big cuts and follow by making the small cuts at ladder height. The final step is to prune out

the middle.

Dr. Foote stated that too often pruners attack a tree from one side and gradually work through the entire tree, only to step back and find that they were either too heavy or too light in their cutting or pruning operation.

From a practical standpoint, most orchards can devote only about 15 minutes per tree per pruning, but Dr. Foote thinks that arborists should spend about 45 to 60 minutes per mature fruit tree to do the type of pruning job he suggested.

Slides Depicted Techniques

His excellent Kodachrome slides brought out the points that were covered. The speaker showed how branches should be well off the ground, because the weight of the fruit carries them down. There were excellent pictures of situations in which weak-crotched trees were destroyed by the weight of fruit.

In the question and answer period, Professor Foote suggested the old standby, broadcast fertilizing, for fruit trees. He was of the opinion that foliar sprays have an excellent potential, but need further development. There should be a definite balance between the fertilizing and the pruning programs.

Pruning may be done at any time of the year, although it is easier to see the application in the winter. Pruning is usually done by arborists in the winter in order to adjust their work loads.

SCHEDULED for opening about April 1 were new garden center facilities for the Mitchell Nursery Co., Blooming Prairie, Minn.

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NEW ENGLAND SHOW

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foreground. Intermingled was Pieris floribunda, and ilex was along the

The coveted president's cup for the most meritorious display went to Weston Nurseries, Inc., Hopkinton, Mass., along with a gold medal and first prize. A stone bridge over a pool led to a path which lost itself in the woodlands. Used were masses of mountain laurel, hemlocks, pine and birch, with a foreground planting of primroses and daphne.

Educational Features

An outstanding educational scientific exhibit by the University of Massachusetts suggested new opportunities in horticultural research. for example, in growth retardants.

Another educational exhibit was that of the Arnold Arboretum, Jamaica Plain, Mass., featuring areas of origin of many cultivated plants, using a huge map of the world. There were evergreens from the north, alpine plants in high regions and tropical plants in the hot zones, making a most rewarding exhibit.

Another garden that captured a gold medal and first prize was designed by Arthur R. Leiby, Weston, Mass., featuring a city garden terrace and pool. The pool was bordered by ivy and white grape hyacinths. The background showed pine, birch and cotoneasters, while tulips and narcissi appeared in the foreground. The upper level had timber seats.

DISCONTINUANCE of the Evergreen Gardens Nursery, Lexington, Ky., because of sale of the land by the owner, has been reported by Milan Rafayko, operating partner in the business. Mr. Rafayko plans to relocate at Barterville, Ky., conducting his own nursery under a new name style.

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Gerd Snyder, of the Saratoga Foundation, Saratoga, compared a manufacturer and his ingenuity in bringing new products before the public with the horticultural industry doing the same thing. Nothing new can be created, he said, but the trade can bring in plants to the public from other parts of the world. Nurserymen can also combine the outstanding characteristics of two or more types; start plants from other countries from seeds, such as eucalyptus from Australia; use unusual items grafted onto uniform rootstocks, and train big shrubs into the form of small trees.

Raymond J. Burr, W. B. Clarke & Co., San Jose, displayed about 20 specimens of deciduous magnolias, including stellata, soulangiana and liliflora.

Members and guests also viewed several huge blooms from the famous magnolia in Golden Gate park, San Francisco, which were as large as a dinner plate.

President Bert Wright, Wright Bros. Nursery, Lafayette, requested that all members support the C. A. N. carnival in April by joining with other nurseries in the area.

A new member, Mrs. O'Reiley, Holiday Nursery, Castro Valley, was introduced.

Lloyd T. Reeves, Sec'y.

REDWOOD EMPIRE CHAPTER

Newspaper advertising was the topic of the special speaker, Roy A. Brown, assistant editor and manager, Independent-Journal, San Rafael, on the program for the March 14 meeting of the Redwood Empire chapter of the California Association of Nurserymen at the Mission Inn, San Rafael.

Prior to the address, President Ruth Cullen, Rincon Nursery, Santa Rosa, announced that Harold Prickett was recovering from recent eye surgery at his home at Santa Rosa and welcomed visitors. Also announced was a social hour preceding the chapter's next meeting, at which

past presidents of the chapter would be honored.

Mr. Brown told the group that there is a trend toward the use of newspapers by national advertisers and this move will help to hold or reduce the rates for local advertisers. The retailer can obtain help in his sales efforts by insisting on distributors' participating in the local advertising.

Advertisers will be aided by the display advertising staff of the local newspaper, Mr. Brown added, to obtain the most for their publicity dollars. He recommended that a schedule be worked out for the whole year, without overlooking the

months of low sales. Above all, he continued, let the salespersons know what merchandise is being advertised.

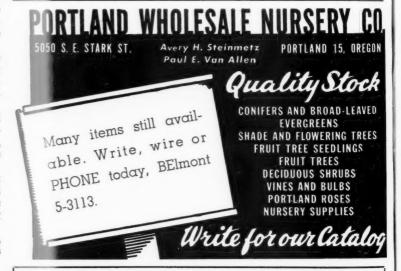
In conclusion, Mr. Brown spoke briefly about a recent market survey of the area served by the Independent-Journal. It revealed a gross income of \$407 million, with an income of \$9,540 per family. Retail outlets had sales of \$181 million, with food sales accounting for \$45 million and automobile sales totaling \$34 million.

Hugh Wallace, Sec'y.

MONTEREY BAY CHAPTER

The Monterey Bay chapter of the California Association of Nurserymen met March 16 at the Franco hotel, Castroville, with 35 members and guests attending. Lowell Sherman, Oki Nursery, Inc., Perkins, was accepted as an affiliate member of the chapter.

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Bernard Mooney, E. B. Stone & Son, Salinas, brought in \$21, bringing the total to \$199.68, 32 cents short of the chapter goal.

Pressley Neville Jones, C. A. N. group insurance administrator, spoke at length of ways to prevent accidents and promote safety in nurseries. He also discussed the group insurance plan and the health and major medical plan in detail, answering questions from the audience.

President Clay Pleiman, Tempo Landscape & Garden Service, Castroville, appointed John, Peter and Patrick Antonelli, Antonelli Bros., Santa Cruz, in charge of the April meeting, scheduled at the Shadow Brook restaurant. Sue Mell, Sec'y.

SAN DIEGO CHAPTER

March 23 the San Diego chapter of the California Association of Nurserymen held a joint dinner meeting with the San Diego Landscape Contractors' Association at the Rancho Presidio hotel, San Diego, Calif. About 75 members attended. The highlight of the evening's program was the presentation of speakers from the city of San Diego to explain the city's street tree planting program.

Peter Millenaar, chapter president, and Leslie Denham, president of the landscape men's group, presided. The city was represented by Lee Ernest, director of parks and recreation; Lloyd Lowery, superintendent of parks, and Jerry Belleau, street tree superintendent.

The speakers pointed out that the city of San Diego had provided for a major street tree planting program in the 1961 budget. This plan calls for replacing 5,000 trees annually on major streets (18 per cent of the total streets) these trees to be propagated by a city-operated nursery and installed by its workers.

This program will leave the remaining 82 per cent of the streets to be planted by private property owners, nurserymen and landscape men. A master plan of basic street trees is being drafted by the parks and recreation department. The city officials expressed their willingness to meet periodically with the nurserymen, landscape architects and contractors and the county farm adviser to select appropriate trees for specific areas in the city.

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OREGON NOTES

According to word received from Mrs. Roberta Brown, Wichita Nursery, Milwaukie, secretary of the Clackamas chapter of the Oregon Association of Nurserymen, plans have been completed for the joint meeting of the Sunset, Rose City, Columbia River and Clackamas chapters at 7 p. m. April 18 at the West Linn Inn, West Linn, The Clackamas chapter will host the meeting, assisted by the Sunset chapter. President Erwin Fowler of the O. A. N., Milton Nursery, Milton-Freewater, will address the group. The A. A. N. film on the management conference will be shown.

In June an all-chapter tour of the north Willamette valley experiment station, originally proposed by the Clackamas chapter, is planned. A July tour of various nurseries and an August picnic are also scheduled by the Clackamas group.

The Southern Oregon Rogue Valley Nurserymen and Growers Association recently elected Mel Nipps, Nipps Greenhouse, Grants Pass, president and Dale Neidermyer, Crater Greenhouse, Medford, secretary-treasurer.

According to the results of three years' research at Oregon State College, the black cherry aphis can be controlled effectively by spraying with demeton (Systox) 26.2 per cent at the rate of one pint to 100 gallons of spray, applied when cherry trees are in the preblossom or petal-fall stages. The aphis by this time have hatched and little if any foliage is curled. Demeton is a systemic insecticide and is absorbed by the foliage on which the aphis feed.

Stephen C. Marks, Oregon State College, Corvallis, recently released figures which stated that Oregon now grows more apple, pear and sweet cherry trees than it did five years ago, but fewer plum, prune and peach trees and only half as many apricot

Century Forest Seed, Inc., Route 1, Box 39, Lebanon, recently started doing business. Purchasing, processing and marketing conifer seeds will be the major operations of the firm, which will also handle fertilizers, mulching materials and other supplies, according to Donald R. Tucker, president.

Scotty's Garden Supply, Portland, recently erected a new building for handling fertilizers.

Miss Sharon Miller, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harold L. Miller, Miller Landscape Nursery, Milwaukie, and Gerald Stutzman, Milwaukie, were united in marriage in a

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ARBOR DAY PROMOTION

Arbor day this year in California was more widely recognized by the public than in other years. The governor's proclamation made more persons aware of the fact that Arbor day in California is always March 7. The California Association of Arborists and the California Association of Nurserymen, working independently of each other, promoted the desirability of planting and caring for trees. The arborists used the newspapers, and the nurserymen had printed material which most members displayed prominently at their places of business. Most nurserymen report that tree planting was increased and many who had not been aware of Arbor day came in to ask about it. Arbor days should have more activities in succeeding years, providing both industry groups follow through with greater publicity. W. B. B.

TRAILER PARK PLANNER

Julius J. Veyna, a landscape architecture student at California State Polytechnic College, San Dimas, was awarded \$100 for fourth place prize in a nation-wide mobile home park design contest sponsored by the Mobile Homes Research Foundation, Chicago, Ill., and Rogers Industries, Inc., Detroit, Mich.

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CALIFORNIA ARBORISTS DISCUSS SPECIFICATIONS

The California Association of Arborists met in the Max J. Leonard building, at Redwood City, March 15. Business activities were confined to reports on the Arbor day activities and the consideration of changes in the association's approved tree trimming specifications.

The tree trimming specifications were prepared by a committee headed by Sylvester Evans, landscape architect, California state highway department, Mr. Evans had been trained in arboriculture by the eastern Davey Tree Expert organization, received commercial experience in arboriculture in Texas and has been with the highway department for a number of years in charge of planting, care and removal of trees and other plant materials on the state's highways in the San Francisco

About a year ago the association adopted the specifications after making a few changes, largely in the wording of some of the sections. The association then presented them to the Western Chapter of the National Shade Tree Conference, at a San Francisco meeting, and that organization has them under consideration for discussion at its next convention.

The purpose of the discussion was to make suggested changes in the specifications which could only be made after they had been in use for some time and after they had had the test of time and experience by the state's arborists. Mr. Evans went over the material a paragraph at a time and gave his interpretation of

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the more controversial items. The membership then was called on to tell experiences with the material.

Although the past year has brought much discussion and some unfavorable criticism of the specifications, it was noted that in general they had been helpful.

It was stated that the material was helpful in organizing procedures for bids or offers to do work, that it made competitive bidding a more equalized proposition and that it seemingly was approved by most arborists and their clients. It was agreed that it provided a standard of workmanship merely by making it possible for all to work under somewhat the same conditions. The flaws in the specifications seemed to be limited to personal misunder-

standings of some paragraphs and a lack of completeness in others.

It was brought out that the one serious omission was that the owner was not mentioned nor seemingly taken into consideration. This was remedied by a few additions and a few revisions in wording of some paragraphs. It also was noted that the use of these specifications is making it increasingly difficult for less conscientious operators to carry on and explain malpractice by stating that the terms were misunderstood when the price was given and the offer accepted. It was agreed that this is their greatest benefit.

The greatest objections to the specifications seemed to arise from the fact that they did not go into sufficient detail and that it is im-

possible for a landscape architect. landscape contractor, school board or other organization to use them as specifications in calling for bids for large operations. It was then noted that these articles are not specifications in the usual sense of the word but actually are standards of workmanship. The name was changed, and hereafter they will be known as such. The individual contractor using the standards as a basis for pricing his work and as a source of definitions for the client will be able to operate as he wishes on the job or while preparing for it.

Several other minor matters of business were discussed but were set aside to be considered at the next meeting, which will be held at the same place April 19. W. B. B.

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TRACES REASONS FOR BAY AREA TREE DEATHS

In an address entitled "Why Our Trees Are Dying" delivered at the November meeting of the California Arborists Association, H. R. Sciaroni, San Mateo county agricultural director, stated that there are many factors contributing to the recent increase in tree deaths in the San Francisco bay area. Discussing a few of the chief factors, he cited smog as the most important and hardest to combat.

There seem to be four different smog components that cause plant injury. Oxidants, produced in automobile exhausts, factory wastes and the burning of agricultural and home waste materials, are becoming more prevalent in the atmosphere, and steps must be taken to combat them.

Ethylene Harmful

Ethylene, too, is produced largely in the burning of trash in open fires and also in the burning of natural gas. This, it seems, is the product which causes first damage to flowers in greenhouses, and Mr. Sciaroni indicated he thought it was the cause of much unexplained damage to all ornamental crops, including trees. It is becoming a greater problem as more people move into the area and more gas is used for home heating, cooking and other purposes.

Sulphur dioxide is a by-product of fuel oil consumption either by homeowners or industry. While it is currently on the increase as an air pollutant, it can be controlled by proper chimney equipment, and progress is being made in that direction. The fourth smog element given was fluoride, which is produced in steel mills. Fluoride damage is not extensive, but it is serious.

Mechanical Causes

Another cause of tree deaths cited by Mr. Sciaroni was careless earth removal in building developments and the failure on the part of all concerned to assure themselves that good soil is brought in for planting purposes. Compaction of the soil by heavy equipment used in grading or other large-scale building operations also is creating conditions in which trees cannot grow, he said. He feels that it is almost impossible to correct such conditions after the planting is done, but he gave careful and complete directions for correction as soon as the building work is completed and before any planting is done

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recreation areas as well as school grounds and the grounds of public buildings and regretted that even in such places proper soil management was not practiced, largely, he said, because of insufficient funds provided for landscaping and maintenance work.

There is, too, a large amount of saline soil in the bay area, he said. Though this condition can be corrected before planting, it presents an almost hopeless case after the trees are planted and begin to show symptoms of injury. Recommended were properly installed drainage and a control of the water table.

The saline conditions are found not only in areas adjacent to the San Francisco bay, where there is now a great deal of building being done, but also in the hills and in other areas where one would not suspect saline conditions. Only a soil analysis can indicate positively that a saline condition exists, and he recommended such an analysis as a first step in making a diagnosis of tree illnesses.

In the uplands the saline conditions occur near wells which are high in salts and in areas receiving the drainage from salt holes, which are a carry-over from the salt water that covered the peninsula thousands of years ago. Poor water also contains boron, sodium and other salts. If the concentration of these is too high, much trouble results. He offered the services of his office to make tests of the composition of well water when excess salts are suspected.

Herbicide Factor

The last reason for tree damage he cited was the improper or excessive use of weed killers. This is a new development in damage to ornamentals. It comes, he feels, in part from the failure of the makers of the materials to test the products fully, but more from the improper use of these chemicals by those who apply them.

In addition he noted that some materials that are excellent weed killers when left in the top two or three inches of the soil are dangerous when they are placed deeper—through tilling, plowing or other means—and come in contact with the roots of shrubs or trees. He noted, too, that the wetting agents used and the combinations of some spray materials have deleterious effects on plant growth and that one must be aware of such conditions and prevent them if he is to do his work of tree care properly.

The talk was well received and was followed by a long series of questions on the subject matter and related problems.

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Oregon Growers Hear Insect and Disease Data

By Charles H. Potter

I. C. MacSwan, extension pathologist, and Robert Every, extension entomologist, both of Oregon State College, Corvallis, talked to a group of nurserymen the evening of March 21 at the Portland Wholesale Nursery Co., Portland. Their joint topic was "Life Cycles of and Control Measures for Nursery Insect Pests and Diseases."

Many problems of nursery crops, said Mr. MacSwan, are due to poor growing conditions having to do with location, soil and fertilizer. Also, plants are often left vulnerable to pest and disease attack by mechanical injury, as well as winter injury. He urged careful handling of equipment about the nursery and suggested that employees be better trained in this matter. If cultural problems are neglected, the controls used for pests and diseases do not mean much, he said.

Disease Causes

Next he listed the causes of diseases. Viruses reproduce in living tissue only and many are transmitted by insects from one plant to another. Controlling the insects is important in virus control.

Bacteria reproduce by fission with remarkable speed. They are usually introduced through a wound to the plant and are spread mostly through moisture in the soil, though they are also transmitted by humans and animals and can be air-borne in drops of water.

Fungi have definite life cycles and are spread principally by means of spores blown by the wind. Nematodes move from place to place through the transportation of soil or in water.

Mr. MacSwan then enlarged upon the matter of fungi. He illustrated to the growers the means by which fungus spores germinate on plant surfaces. The spray used to control fungi must completely cover the plant surfaces, he said, for a fungicide kills the fungus through germinating contact with the spore's germ tube at the plant surface. Fungus must be stopped before it gets started. If fungicides were made that killed the spore itself or killed the fungus in stages other than the germinating stage, the effect would be detrimental to the plant. The extreme smallness of fungus spores emphasizes the importance of thorough coverage.

Early spring sprays are the most effective in controlling fungi, he said, because that is the time when conditions of moisture, temperature, etc., are ideal for the fungus spores to germinate. Sometimes fall spraying will help in the control pattern. There are three major factors in fungus control, he said: (1) The fungicide, (2) correct timing of the application and (3) the thoroughness with which it is applied.

A series of sprays is necessary to cover new plant surfaces that appear, to treat for newly appearing fungus spores and to replace the fungicide washed away by rains. Up to seven applications of fungicide are required in the Pacific northwest, where summer rains are infre-

quent, as compared to 15 to 18 ap. plications in other parts of the country where summer rains come frequently, thereby removing the fungicide more often. A healthy plant, he said, is no insurance against fungus attack. Optimum temperature, moisture and nutrition are the controlling factors for fungus development.

Robert Every said, concerning insect control, the grower must know what insects are involved. what their habits are and when and where to make applications of insecticides. The matter of whether an insect has chewing or sucking mouth parts is not so important as it once was, he said, because the modern insecticides have overlap-

ping control effects.

The residual life of an insecticide is important where food crops are concerned but not so much so with nursery crops, unless (in some instances) food crops are to follow, The vapor pressure of an insecticide helps to determine the amount of time it will remain effective. A high vapor pressure means that the material will quickly dissipate. Formulations with a low vapor pressure, such as DDT, are more stable.

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chemical in water is also important. If it is too soluble, plant injury may occur. An insecticide cannot be washed into the soil with any degree of effectiveness, he said, because of its insolubility. It must be worked well into the top six or seven inches of soil.

Concerning root weevils, he said that they are susceptible to insecticides only at the time they emerge from the ground or when the young hatch from the eggs. Weevils emerge from mid-May to August, with the heaviest emergence in early June. Dust formulations, he said, are the least persistent in insect control; wettable powder has a longer residual action, and emulsion concentrate gives the longest-lasting results. As with fungicides, the appearance of new plant growth makes repeated applications neces-

The susceptibility of various insects is an important factor in the effectiveness of control. Insecticides that are fat soluble, such as DDT, will be absorbed by fat-carrying insects, he said. Insects with natural resistance or those that develop resistance are making insect control in many instances increasingly difficult, he added.

Mites are proving to be the most resistant. Whereas malathion is still



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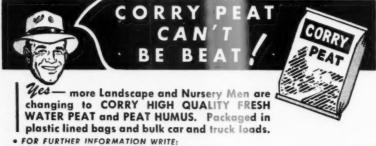
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Mr. Every dealt finally with systemics, such as OMPA, Systox and Thimet, and said that the main reason more growers do not use them is because they are highly dangerous to handle. Once the systemic material is absorbed by the plant it is fairly

safe, he said.

Systemics as they are now known break down into degradation materials which will not pass the food and drug act requirements, he said. Another matter holding back the development of systemics is the high cost of their development and manufacture, while the market, exclusive of food crops, is limited. He predicted that more and better systemics which will be far safer will be developed in the near future.

NEMATODES

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interrupted, and the plant frequently starts to show signs of malnutrition and stunting. Root-knot nematodes are known to attack over 1,700 different kinds of plants. Figure 1 shows the effect of severe rootknot infection on Ilex crenata helleri.

The meadow, or root-lesion, nematode is considered a migratory endoparasite because, although it lives and feeds within root tissue, it can, unlike the root-knot nematode, leave one feeding site and migrate to another. Its feeding causes local cell necrosis, which may in itself interrupt the normal root functions, but may also provide a portal of entry for fungi and bacteria which may cause root rots or wilts.

There are a number of ectoparasites which are known to damage ornamental plants. Some of these cause damage by mechanically injuring cells with their stylets, whereas others inject into the cells an enzyme-like material that is toxic

to the host plant.

Two Aboveground Feeders

Although most plant parasitic nematodes feed only on belowground plant parts, there is a small group that does feed aboveground. Only two top feeders are associated with flowers and other ornamental plants. Aphlenchoides species attack buds and leaves of certain flowering plants. The chrysanthemum-leaf

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nematode is an example. Ditylenchus species attack bulbs, stems and leaves of daffodils and other bulb or corm crops. Both types are of only local importance, however.

Plant parasitic nematodes have an extremely wide host range. Although studies are not complete, evidence to date indicates that all ornamental plants may be damaged by some form of parasitic nematode. In 1941 Tarjan4 found parasitic nematodes on a wide variety of plants. Some included were African violet, yew (taxus), elm, boxwood, apple, oak, red cedar and chrysanthemum.

In 1958 a survey was made of 33 commercial nurseries in New Jersey where 190 samples from 27 genera of plants were examined. This survey showed that most plants were attacked by a number of known or suspected plant parasitic nematodes. It was also evident that any given nematode genus could attack a wide range of host plants.

A survey of rose plants was made in 1956 in which 16 samples from 34 growers in 14 states were examined2. Large numbers of parasitic nematodes were found in every case where the plants showed poor growth. General plant decline, loss of color and general low vigor are good signs of nematode invasion. One hundred and eighty-two declining boxwood plants were examined in Virginia prior to 19573. These plants yielded a total of 13 genera of plant parasitic nematodes. Although many other examples are in the literature, the foregoing should give some indication of the breadth and intensity of this problem.

Symptom Diagnosis Difficult

It is quite understandable that most nurserymen do not easily recognize the aboveground symptoms of nematode damage. In the first place. symptoms of attack do not necessarily follow any characteristic pattern which would distinguish them from injury caused by root rots, other soil-borne diseases or adverse environmental conditions. Even casual root examination will not give an indication of nematode damage except where root-knot symptoms are involved. In addition, nematodes are tiny creatures, ranging from onesixty-fourth to one-eighth of an inch in length. Moreover, they are extremely slender and usually transparent. It has only been in recent years that symptom correlation studies, inoculation experiments and new extraction techniques have made possible more reliable diagnosis of nematode injury on the basis of symptoms.

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nematode-infected plant will vary with growing conditions, the nematodes involved and the host plants attacked. In all but the most severe cases or those involving root knot, it is almost impossible for anyone to diagnose nematode injury accurately at first glance.

Deficiency Symptoms General

There are certain general symptoms which are associated with nematode infection on ornamental plants. Infected plants may be stunted or off color or may show signs of wilt even though soil moisture conditions are favorable. Frequently plants may exhibit typical nutrient deficiency symptoms although the soil fertility level is satisfactory for good growth. These situations are triggered by nematodes which so affect the root system of the plant that it is unable to absorb water and nutrients available in the soil.

Additional fertilizing is of questionable benefit in these cases. Many infected plants develop a grayishtan color. This condition may involve the entire plant or it may affect only a branch or two. Azaleas, camellias, rhododendron, gardenias, ligustrum and other broad-leaved evergreens may develop a marked chlorosis and reduction in vigor. The extent of new growth may be severely reduced or be absent completely.

The chrysanthemum-leaf nematode causes a preliminary yellowishbrown spotting of the leaves. The spots coalesce, and soon the entire leaf may be involved. Infected leaves become brittle, die and fall from the plant. Infection of ray flowers may prevent proper development of the blooms.

The stem and bulb nematode on narcissus and other bulb crops causes the infected scales to turn brown. A cut surface of the bulb shows one or more brown rings in contrast to the healthy white tissue. Bulbs which are badly diseased either produce no foliage or only a few twisted and bent leaves.

Root Symptoms

Root examination frequently yields additional information for diagnosis. Even here, however, results are not always reliable. Root-knot infections are quite obvious and are easily recognized. It is not so simple, however, to recognize the damage caused by non-gall-forming genera of nematodes. A stunted and sparse root system, or a stunted but excessively bushy root growth may be indicative of nematode damage. Heavy feeding activity of the root

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lesion nematode may sufficiently damage the cortex of the root to cause it to be easily stripped off, leaving the exposed stele. With a good hand lens one can occasionally see small, dark, necrotic areas along the root which indicate sites at which nematodes have fed.

Soil examination has definite merit, but even it falls far short of giving a complete answer. For example, the examination of soil without roots is quite likely to miss the root-knot nematode completely. Certain parasitic nematodes will migrate from dead to living roots or may die in place so that sampling around a dead plant may be highly misleading. If a high population of parasitic nematodes is found in a soil sample, it indicates that either there is a problem present or at least the potenial of one. However, if no parasitic forms are found one can only speculate as to why. There is always a possibility, of course, that nematodes were not the problem in that specific limited area. However, it is also possible that parasitic forms have moved to adjacent plants or that they might occur in localized areas which were not included in the soil sample. Although the examination of soil samples is a step in the direction of a more accurate diagno-



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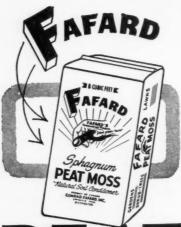
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If the symptoms of nematode attack are so difficult to identify, a nurseryman often asks how he can determine whether or not he has a nematode problem. Fumigating a small area in the nursery and observing plant response will give the most reliable information as to whether or not a problem exists. Figure 2 illustrates a type of response that can be demonstrated. The Japanese hollies are the same age, but the one on the left was grown in a nematode-infested area, while the one on the right was grown in soil that had been treated with DBCP (Nemagon).

Either pre- or post-plant applications may be used. The pre-plant approach can be considered when one's seedbeds or transplant beds for lining-out stock are not producing the number or quality of plants desired. There are a number of materials, which will be discussed in more detail later, that can be used to treat sections of these beds before seeds or stock is introduced. If only one bed is involved, it would be advisable to treat half of it and leave the other half for comparison. However, if several beds of different plant species are to be considered, it is wise to treat a strip across the beds, so that the reaction of the various species may be observed. In either case it is desirable to treat a large enough area to minimize the danger of outside contamination.

Post-Plant Treatment

A post-plant treatment, as the name implies, is the application of a nematocide to established plants. It is rather common experience that certain areas in a field will not produce so well as others. After such factors as drainage, fertility level and soil type have been ruled out, one naturally suspects nematode damage. Certain nematocides may be applied around living plants either as injections of liquid formulations, as granular formulations worked into the soil or as drenches.

Liquid nematocides may be injected into the soil with hand equipment or tractor-drawn rigs. They may also be applied as drenches. Large-scale tractor-powered equipment is available when greater areas are to be treated. Granular materials may be spread on the surface of the soil and disked or rototilled in immediately. They may also be applied with a modified fertilizer drill. Drench application has utility on small areas, but in view of the large

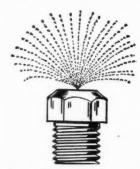


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quantities of water involved it is somewhat questionable as to its practical application to large areas.

Methyl Bromide Fumigant

A third type of soil fumigant, which has not been mentioned, is methyl bromide. This is a liquid when kept under high pressure or low temperatures but changes to a gas under normal conditions. It must be introduced under a gasproof cover. Methyl bromide is odorless, colorless and tasteless, but a deadly poison. It is usually mixed with 1 or 2 per cent chloropicrin, (ordinary tear gas), to act as a warning agent. In addition to the concentrated methyl bromide-chloropicrin mixtures, the material is also available as an emulsion, which may be applied with a tractor-drawn applicator. In either case, however, the area must be sealed with a gasproof cover. Although somewhat more cumbersome to use because of the necessity of a cover, methyl bromide has the advantage of killing not only nematodes but also soil-borne fungi, insects and many kinds of weed

The plot layout may be adjusted to meet individual circumstances. If only one variety of a plant growing in rows is involved, one can treat several rows down the middle of the area. However, if several varieties are involved it is desirable to treat a 100-foot strip across the rows so that varietal plant responses can be observed. The nurseryman should carefully mark treated areas and keep records on the kind and amount of material used. A number of nematocidal chemicals are available on the market today.

Production Economics

Production economics play an important part in every business enterprise, and the nursery industry is no exception. With the gradual increase in production costs and a lag in consumer prices, it is becoming increasingly important for the nurseryman to keep a sharp watch on production efficiency. Preventable losses must not be tolerated, particularly if they can be prevented from developing at a reasonable cost to the grower.

Production of unsalable plants constitutes a direct financial loss. There are other losses, however, which are more gradual in occurrence but may have an impact just

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point of unsalability. Total crop volume may be reduced significantly by nematode attack, which may occur any time from the seedbed through field planting. Quarantine restrictions on ornamental plants are becoming tighter every year. A quarantine and plant destruction order can mean a loss of many thousands of dollars to a nurseryman.

A good reputation is an essential ingredient in a good business. A nurseryman does not need to sell many nematode-infected plants of poor quality, which naturally fail to thrive as expected, before his reputation starts to slip and his business begins to suffer. The cost of preventing these unpleasant situations from occurring is really quite nominal.

The cash invested in a nursery crop at any point during its nursery life will vary greatly with the variety of plants involved and the nursery operation itself. The investment is sizable, however. Nematode infection may put this entire investment in jeopardy and also eliminate the possibility of realizing a profit on the operation. The cost of nematode control is low in proportion to the size of the grower's investment in land, labor and plants.

Clean Lining-Out Area Needed

One must assume that the majority of nurserymen sterilize their rooting and potting media. This provides clean plants to go into the lining-out beds. If these beds are nematode infested, however, the young stock will become infested, will not do well when transplanted to the field and will likely either be unsalable or be quarantined and destroyed. A lining-out bed can be fumigated for approximately \$1 to \$5 per hundred square feet. This is a pre-plant application and will go a long way towards insuring clean stock for the field.

Fields may be pre-plant treated for as little as \$30 per acre chemical cost. Application equipment may cost from \$50 to \$500 or more, depending upon the size of the operation and the complexity of the equipment. The equipment, however, is reuseable and can be depreciated over a long period of time.

A pre-plant field fumigation will drastically reduce the nematode population, but will not completely eliminate it. Within a year or two the surviving nematodes will have produced enough progeny to become a potential hazard to ornamental plants. As a general rule, all infested fields should be fumigated

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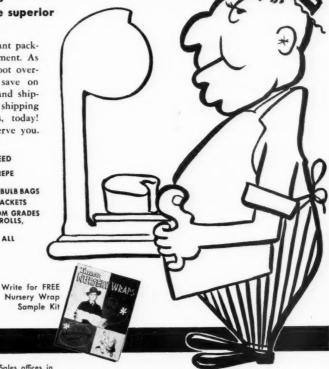
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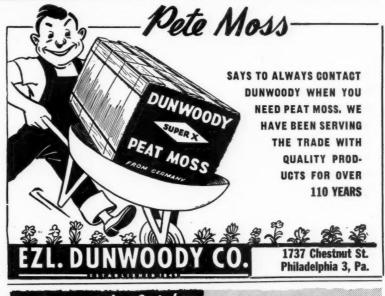
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When a nematode problem has been present and plants remain in the field more than one year, it is frequently advisable to add a postplant application to the schedule. The chemical cost of this operation would be somewhere between \$60 and \$80 per acre. On an acre basis, this means that the grower can be relatively certain of having a highquality, clean and salable product for a chemical cost of from \$100 to \$140 per acre. This seems to be reasonable insurance on a crop which at sale time may represent an investment of \$5,000 to \$8,000.

Although there now are economical and practical methods for nematode control, it is not advocated that every nurseryman institute a full-scale program immediately. The type and extent of a control program must be determined on an individual basis. The smallplot technique for problem definition is highly recommended. Plant top and root examination, as well as soil assays, can also contribute somewhat to a clarification of the



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It is possible that some nurseries or areas within a given nursery may not have a nematode problem at the present time. Although this is encouraging to the grower, constant vigilance is required. The absence of a nematode problem today in any given area does not preclude the possibility of one's developing during the next few years. A grower must be continually aware of the namatode situation and take precautionary and/or corrective measures whenever they are indicated.

In summary, it may be said that nematode attack has a far-reaching impact on the ornamental nursery industry. Techniques are available for determining the presence and intensity of nematode problems, and materials and methods are available for preventing or correcting undesired situations. Nematode control is not a costly operation, and its benefits are far reaching. An awareness of the problem and the instrumentation of control practices must of necessity become a part of the ornamental nursery operation.

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These findings, by an A.R.S. plant pathologist, W. A. Feder, and associates, are the first demonstration of nematocidal activity in a material not generally classed as toxic. Dr. Feder says the sugar kills the pests by increasing the osmotic pressure of the soil solution in which they live. He explains the killing process this way:

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From tests carried out by adding sugar to samples of nematode-infested soil of varying moisture contents, it was found as the amount of moisture went down, sugar concentration and nematode mortality went up.

Dr. Feder concluded that the addition of specific amounts of sugar to nematode-infested soils of known moisture content will result in predictable percentages of nematode kill

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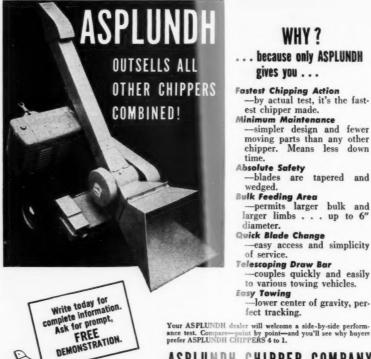


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Another possible treatment for a location like this-and it might well be used on terraces, too-is to train potted vines and espaliered shrubs on a standard and then sink them below ground, pot and all. The plant can be lifted and another used in its place. By such a practice, variety is achieved, and one can take advantage of the flowering of some plants and the fruiting of others.

A variation of texture, leaf form and glossiness can also be enjoyed. The problems that one must cope with are keeping these containergrown plants from becoming potbound and making sure they are carefully pruned, watered and adequately cared for during the winter period.

In a thickly grown planting of a single type of ground cover like Baltic ivy, one may achieve variety by inserting potted geraniums beneath the cover, or some other colorful container-grown flowering plants. These can be changed several times a year and may be foliage as well as flowering plants. Caladiums, with their colorful leaves, tuberous-rooted begonias and many others could be used.

Large-Flowering Vines

A coarse-flowering vine can also be selected to provide contrast and interest to a garden or terrace. The term coarse-flowering is used to denote a vine bearing flowers that are unusually large for its own foliage or for that of the surrounding plants. The Mme. Galen trumpet vine (Campsis tagliabuana Mme. Galen) is a good example of such a vine. Its single flower, shown in illustration G, is large but effective.

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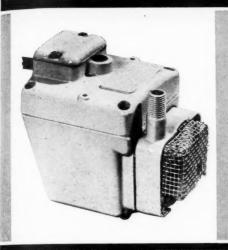
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MIDDLE TENNESSEE MEET

The Middle Tennessee Nurserymen's Association met at the Hillcrest motel restaurant, McMinnville, Tenn., March 16, with about 25 nurserymen present. A representative of the E. I. du Pont de Nemours & Co., Inc., Wilmington, Del., instructed the group on nematode control and recommended that all nurserymen selling peach trees in the Fort Valley, Ga., area treat the soil before planting peach seeds next fall. He pointed out that trees damaged by nematodes bear fruit four to eight years in the orchard and then die. Healthy trees bear fruit for 20 years or longer. It was also brought out that rootstocks are being affected.

Ray Thompson, Tennessee state plant inspector, reported on the treatment of nurseries for Japanese beetle control and stated that the Tennessee department of agriculture will aid the nurseries in the treatments. This is a precautionary measure, as no Japanese beetles have been found in the McMinnville-Warren county area, but they are in nearby sections of the state.

President Goldie Bouldin, Planters Nursery, McMinnville, told the group that the McMinnville Garden Club is interested in the project of landscaping all the highways leading out of the city, in co-operation with the nurserymen, chamber of commerce and Tennessee department of highways. Robert Goodpasture, roadside planting engineer of the Tennessee department of highways, is now working on plans for developing Warren county roads. Each nurseryman in the area has agreed to donate 100 trees to start the project. R. W. B.

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OBITUARY

William A. Frankenbach

William A. Frankenbach, 67, a partner in the nursery, florists' and landscape gardening firm of C. E. Frankenbach & Sons, Southampton, L. I., N. Y., died unexpectedly March 16 at the Southampton hospi-

Born at Southampton, Mr. Frankenbach attended local schools and worked for various florists, nursery and landscaping firms in New York and Long Island. He enlisted in the United States Marine Corps and served overseas in World War I. Upon his discharge from service he joined the firm that had been founded by his father in 1910. After his father's death, in 1920, Mr. Frankenbach and his brothers assumed control of the business, and at the time of his own death he was operating the firm in partnership with his brother Philip.

He was a member of the New York State Nurserymen's Association, the Long Island Nurserymen's Association and the New York State Flower Growers' Association. He was an active member of the American Legion and an Elk and had directed numerous charitable and fund-raising campaigns in his community. Surviving are his widow, Leona; two daughters; a son, William A., Jr.; three sisters, and five brothers.

Walter W. Balzer

Walter W. Balzer, landscape architect and owner of Walt's Third Avenue Nursery, Spokane, Wash., died recently at a local hospital at the age of 60. He planned the Stevens county courthouse landscaping at Colville and in 1935 won a national award for garden design. A native of Spokane, he was the son of the late E. C. Balzer, a local nurseryman.

Surviving are two brothers, C. Norb, C. Norb Balzer Nurseries, and A. Edward, both of Spokane, and a sister, Mrs. Elsie McGlasson, Los Angeles, Calif.

Charles A. Meyer

Charles A. Meyer, owner of the Aurora Nursery, Aurora, Colo., died February 27 at the Rose Memorial hospital as a result of injuries received in a recent automobile accident. He was 82 years old. Mr. Meyer had lived at Aurora since 1909 and had been a resident of the Denver area since 1888.



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Maple Diseases and Their Control

Reported by Andrew T. Leiser

Diseases of the genus acer and its identification were the themes of a group of discussions featured Thursday afternoon, January 5, on the program of the Indiana Arborists' Association's midwinter conference held January 4 to 6 at Purdue University, Lafayette. A general report of the conference was given in the February 1 issue of the American Nurseryman.

Giving a thorough coverage of the problem of "Maple Blight" was R. L. Geise, department of entomology, Purdue University. Dr. Geise showed slides illustrating the progressive symptoms of the disease. He reported his experiments on the effect of defoliation on maple trees, which indicate that early defoliation allows more complete recovery than late defoliation. In the case of late defoliation, partial or total death of the tree or tree parts results. The death or dieback of twigs was correlated with the early defoliation.

Maple trees are susceptible to severe injury from defoliation between June 2 and August 25. Correlated experiments have shown that yellow birch and ironwood are susceptible to the same type of dieback, but basswood appears to be unaffected by defoliation. Dr. Geise pointed out that it does not matter if a tree is in a forest or grown in the open as far as susceptibility is concerned. The experiments show that insects that cause severe defoliation of maple produce typical maple blight symptoms and that to control maple blight one must control the insects.

In the discussion that followed Dr. Geise's presentation, it was brought out that the elm-leaf beetle no longer limits its feeding to the elm and should be controlled.

Foliar Disease

The next speaker was Dr. J. C. Carter, plant pathologist, University of Illinois, Urbana, who continued the maple theme by discussing foliar diseases of this genus, both infectious and noninfectious. He divided the infectious diseases of maple leaves into four principal groups, namely—powdery mildews, leaf spots, anthracnose and leaf blisters.

Powdery mildews are diseases that cause a powdery gray deposit on the upper side of leaves which turns to a tan late in the season, when the areas may exhibit black fruiting bodies. The control suggested by Dr.

Carter was the use of sulphur fungicides.

The leaf spots may be caused by a great number of fungi, but most of them can be controlled by spraying with copper or Bordeaux. Anthracnose is another class of leaf spot, typified by a blotchy pattern. This disease develops during the cool, wet weather of the spring at the time of leaf expansion, and sprays must be applied at this time to be effective.

Leaf blister, a rather unusual leaf disease of maples, was described by Dr. Carter. The disease, which is similar to peach leaf curl and is caused by a species of traphina, must be controlled by a dormant lime-sulphur spray as the buds are swelling.

The noninfectious diseases described by Dr. Carter have also been called physiological disorders, such as scorch, which is caused by excessive water loss. A characteristic of this disease aiding in diagnosis is the fact that veins remain alive while the margins and tips of the leaves die

first, leaving a typical pattern. Low temperatures (near freezing) early in the year cause necrotic, or dead, areas in a flecked pattern. In older leaves these areas appear near the base or the midribs, and the leaf around these areas often contains callous tissues. Dr. Carter also showed slides illustrating what was thought to be malathion injury on maples and mechanical injury caused by insects, man or hail.

In the question period that followed, Dr. Carter was asked if he could differentiate between scorch and anthracnose. He stressed that in scorch the tips, the margins and the areas between the veins are affected, while in anthracnose the affected parts of the leaf cut across the veins. Anthracnose diseases usually fruit along the margins or edges of the veins. These fruits are light colored. He also stressed that leaf spots may often have fruiting bodies in them.

Dr. Ralph Green, botany and plant pathology department, Purdue





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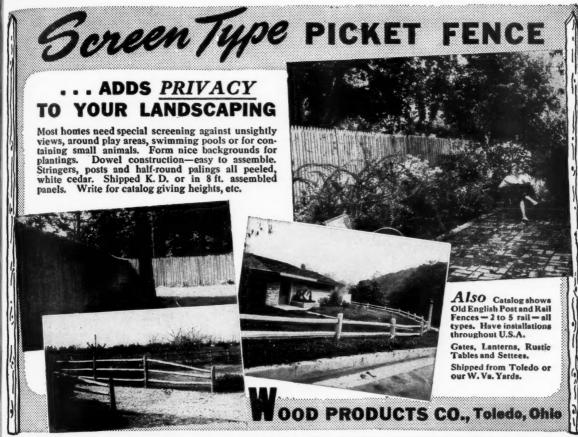
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University, discussed trunk and root problems of maples. He pointed out that attempts are made to grow a great many shade trees in artificial conditions. The trees are often injured by the digging of utility companies, by heavy pruning and topping and by bark and trunk wounds resulting from a multitude of causes. Dr. Green discussed a number of disease problems, beginning with twig and branch cankers that cause a dieback of the younger parts of the tree. These result in sunken, discolored and sharply defined cankers, which are usually annual in nature and do not continue to grow. These cankers are caused by various species of the genera phoma, phomopsis, phaeropsis and others.

Dr. Green continued his discussion of maple diseases with a comparison of two types of trunk cankers. The first of these is the perennial canker, which rarely girdles or kills a tree but reduces its strength and causes considerable damage to affected parts. Called European canker, it is caused by the fungus nectria and is especially severe on red maple, aspen, beech and birch. The treatment of this type of canker is to prune and paint the affected parts.

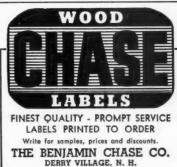
Root and trunk rots and cankers



can be particularly severe on Norway and red maples. These are basal cankers caused by Phytophthora cinnamomi, and bleeding is often associated with them. The wood is stained brown to black, and this type of canker involves the root or soon girdles the tree.

Decline and Wilt

Dr. Green stated that decline of maples is often associated with the fungus disease called shoestring root rot. The best control is maintenance of high vigor in the tree. Once early infection is discovered, the soil may be removed from the root collar and the infected area may be pruned away and painted with suitable tree



paint. It is best not to cover the area until fall, at which time clean soil should be used. Once a tree has died from shoestring root rot, Dr. Green pointed out, the replanting problem is serious. Chemical sterilization of the soil area is feasible with formal-dehyde diluted one part to 50 parts of water or fumigation with suitable soil fumigants. It is difficult to find species resistant to shoestring root rot.

Dr. Green discussed the maple wilt, or vascular wilt, disease at some length. This disease, caused by the fungus verticillium, will attack most maple species, although the soft maples may be more susceptible. The disease may be recognized by the

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typical wilt symptoms and by the olive-green to greenish-black staining of the vascular tissue of twigs and limbs. In the past, Dr. Green stated, nitrogen fertilization had been recommended to assist the tree in outgrowing the disease, but he expressed the current belief that this might not be a reliable treatment.

Dr. Green, in closing, mentioned heart rots briefly and described some of the conks produced. He stated that this type of disease is not a serious problem in Indiana. Dr. Green recommended two books for additional information of the arborists, the new edition of "Diseases and Pests of Ornamental Plants," by Pirone, Dodge and Rickett, and the new revision of Dr. Pirone's book, "Maintenance of Shade and Ornamental Trees."

Following Dr. Green on the program was Dr. Andrew Leiser, horticulture department, Purdue, who conducted a session on identification of some of the common maples. Dr. Leiser distributed a key which permits arborists to identify most of the common maples grown in the midwest from vegetative (leaf and twig) characteristics. A review of some of the technical nomenclature used in the key was followed by a brief session in which several common maples were processed through the key and during which both the method of using the key and the highlights of identification were pointed out.

NURSERY WEED CONTROL

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CONSUMER SURVEYS

The consumer survey undertaken in the southern field, just published, is in the form of a 28-page, 81/2x11, mimeographed pamphlet, "Economic Analysis of the Consumer Market for Woody Ornamentals," by J. H. Padgett and T. D. Aaron, assistant agricultural economists, mimeographed series NS 108 of the Georgia agricultural experiment stations, published at the University of Georgia, Athens, Ga.

Those wishing to study the pre-liminary report from a consumer survey in the northeast, from which the figures reported on page 8 of the March 15 issue of the American Nurseryman were cited, may be able to obtain it in a mimeographed pamphlet of the same size, prepared by Ronald Gatty, of the de-partment of agricultural economics at Rutgers University, New Brunswick, N. J. He delivered an oral report at the annual meeting in January of the Eastern Regional Nurservmen's Association.

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One of the pests which prevents the more general planting of a graceful evergreen tree, the larch sawfly is its most destructive insect enemy and a potential threat to the forest plantings of the larch that remain across the nation. Hence, technical bulletin 1212, by A. T. Drooz, just issued by the forest service of the United States Department of Agriculture on "The Larch Sawfly, Its Biology and Control" comprises a pamphlet of 52 pages, packed with information compiled about this pest, together with an index of over six pages to the literature cited in the contents.

ZIMMERMAN PINE MOTH

Greater prevalence of the Zimmerman pine moth in the midwest has been the basis for extended research on the problem and its publication in research bulletin No. 698 of the agricultural experiment station of Purdue University, Lafayette, Ind. The author, Donald Schuder, of the university's entomology department, has conducted considerable investigation of the matter and relates his findings, along with data from an extended bibliography on the pest, concerning distribution, hosts, injury,

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IOWANS' SHORT COURSE

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chandise he offers by the total number of families located in the market. Of course, the extent of inventory carried, location of the store, competition and other factors must be taken into account in the preparation of this estimate.

The second step in developing an advertising program for the garden store is to set up a systematic program, complete with the sum of money one intends to spend and where he intends to spend it. Although there are many plans for determining the amount to spend on advertising, one of the simplest uses a per cent of sales figure, which for the typical retail or service business varies between 3 and 5 per cent. Mr. Kunerth suggested an allocation between $2\frac{1}{2}$ and $3\frac{1}{2}$ per cent, plus a reserve of about one seventh of the total advertising budget.

After the size of the budget has been determined the next step is to allocate the expenditure seasonally or by the month. This distribution should be plotted so that it follows the sales curve of the business. He emphasized the fact that the garden center should spend the most advertising dollars during the period in which the customers are in a buying mood, not as a sales aid to stimulate trade at a time when business is slack.

Mr. Kunerth showed that in a business as seasonal as the garden center's, it is easy to underpromote during the peak period. This is likely to happen because a representative advertising expenditure for a peak month, expressed as a percentage of total sales, appears ex-

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travagant when compared to what other businesses are doing at the same time. But there are months in which a garden center's revenue is less than 1 per cent of its total sales, and other months in which over 25 per cent of the total annual gross is realized.

Effective Copy Planning

After the operator has decided the sum to spend and when and where it is to be spent, he must devote some time to developing the advertising message. Most retail advertising suffers because the copy is dull, too general and far from complete. It was noted that a disinterested reader might skip over a long block of copy, but one who is in the market for the product the garden center is advertising is likely to read a rather lengthy advertising message, if it contains information which is of interest.

In discussing the development of an advertising program, the speaker stressed the importance of simplicity in designing the layout of advertisements. He concluded his discussion by saying that if he were given the responsibility of developing an advertising program for a garden store he thought that he would put about 60 per cent of the Because you can't depend on rain . . . depend on WADE RAIN SPRINKLER IRRIGATION MUELLERMIST IRRIGATION SUPPLY CO. P. O. Box 471, Maywood, ad.

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Dr. Harry Heath, also of the journalism department, followed with a discussion of "Writing Copy That Sells." He stated that copy alone is not enough to create a desire to buy. The garden store operator must have a good product to write about, it must be for sale at a competitive price and it must be



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presented at the right time for use. Copy must fit the medium used. For example, the message in a direct-mail ad might be phrased more personally than the copy for a newspaper ad. A run-of-the-paper ad should be written differently than one the garden store operator places in a special garden or land-scape section. Dr. Heath stated that the choice of medium and what the advertiser knows about his audience will determine the approach he

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THOMAS ENTERPRISES 4801 S. Peoria Tulsa 5 Okla takes. Good copy, regardless of the intent, must do three things: It must convey a thought, it must communicate a feeling and it must promise some benefit to the reader. The words chosen should keep ideas moving, paint a word picture, make the meaning clear and be smooth and easy to read.

Professor Heath suggested that when a good idea strikes one, it should be recorded on the spot. An idea notebook should be kept for recording catchy phrases or novel ideas that the operator happens to run across at meetings or during his everyday course of business. If a person waits to put an idea down, he may never catch the mood in which he obtained the idea origi-

The speaker suggested that the garden center operator should exploit the magic of the word 'spring" in advertising; that he should think less about such overworked phrases as "science develops" or "blooms by the thousands' in display lines and start hitting "family fun," "togetherness" and "outdoor vigor."

In summarizing, Dr. Heath listed some of the most important advertising pointers determined by a major home service magazine for use in writing display lines as copy themes. These were (1) stress the how-to-do-it angle, (2) make specific promises on service, (3) use "new" and "news" as interest words, (4) time the ad right, (5) use "you" and "yours" to bring the reader into the picture and (6) keep the technical words to a minimum.

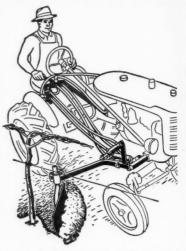
Choosing the Medium

Wayne Ferris, Earl Ferris Nursery, Hampton, Ia., then discussed the topic of "The Best Medium." The speaker developed the considerations that should be taken into account before one selects a specific medium of advertising. In considering county weeklies, the operator should first learn their circulation and the type of copy that they are carrying. If local merchants cannot make the paper pay and the circulation is limited, spending should also be limited. On the other hand, if the newspaper carries considerable local advertising and the circulation is good, one should consider it, providing it is in the sales area. As for city dailies, Mr. Ferris noted that the spot in the paper should be selected carefully.

He said that many large circulation magazines are now so divided that one can place an advertisement to appear only in copies of the magazine sent to a particular region

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of the country. Orders from such ads are steady, according to Mr. Ferris, and an operator should receive returns from them for a period of six to eight weeks, because people keep magazines and read them over a relatively long period of time. If the advertising budget of a salesyard is large enough, Mr. Ferris believes that the limitedcirculation feature of the larger magazines is worth considering.

As for radio advertising, it has been Mr. Ferris' experience that the best time is before, during and after news or weather broadcasts. He cautioned that if one cannot buy the best time, he should leave radio and television advertising alone.

Direct-Mail Advertising

Direct-mail advertising has been one of the best advertising media for the garden center. The mailing list is the key to the entire program and usually is slow to evolve. The list must be constantly culled to eliminate names of people who have moved or died, or who, for any other reason, can no longer be considered as customers. If a customer does not buy in two or three years, Mr. Ferris suggested that his name be removed from the mailing list. The list should be checked occasionally through the use of some device offering a free package of seeds to customers who bring in a coupon from the mailing piece. Home shows, fairs and similar events offer excellent means for the garden store operator to contact customers he would not ordinarily reach. This technique is one way to start a mailing list, although cost of space, time involved in setting up displays and the like should be carefully evaluated in order to determine if the project is worthwhile.

Advertisements in school annuals and the like should not be counted in the advertising budget, because they are strictly donations and should be treated as such.

In concluding, Mr. Ferris suggested that the garden center operator should keep an accurate record of the results of his advertising. He noted that one method is to paste all ads and direct-mail pieces in a photograph album, noting the weather, date, placement of the ad, number of customers responding and other useful information that might aid one in doing a better job the following year.

Handling Stock

After the advertising panel, a series of talks was presented on handling the various types of plants



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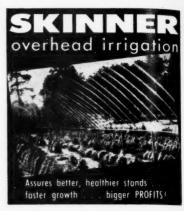
carried in the typical garden center. Dr. Leroy Everson noted that the garden center operator has the opportunity to see the homeowner when he is ready to buy lawn seeds and is most receptive to good lawnseeding suggestions. Therefore it is desirable that the operator be qualified to act in an advisory capacity in his own interest as well as that of his customer. If the operator does not have time to give personal advice to customers, Dr. Everson noted that he might help in other ways, such as sorting the lawn seed mixtures into two groups, one for fine lawns and the other for play areas or general-purpose lawns. Direction charts should carry information relating to the kind of turf that will be obtained, the rate of seeding and helpful hints on maintenance practices.

Dr. J. P. Mahlstede, of the horticulture department, emphasized the need for recognizing plants as the perishable products they are. Techniques for disbudding rootwrapped roses, packaging dormant bare-root stock for the retail counter and maintaining containergrown and B&B stock in the garden center were discussed.

Salesmanship

After lunch, the group assembled to hear Dr. Tom Hannum discuss salesmanship. It was brought out in recent business surveys that selling is greatly underemphasized in many operations. Salesmanship training often makes the difference between a mediocre business and a thriving concern in the community. Dr. Hannum pointed out that sales training need not be formal, since much can be gleaned from reading the trade magazines and other publications dealing with selling. But frequently the only sales training newly hired salespersons receive is five minutes of instruction on how to make out a sales slip and how to ring a sale on a cash register. The salesman must know everything about the product he is handling. If he does not, he will lack selfconfidence and enthusiasm, which are necessary to move the product from the salesyard into the customer's car or yard. Dr. Hannum concluded by stating that good will is vital to any successful business and that one is better off losing a sale through honesty than ruining future sales by misrepresentation.

Lloyd Cafferty, Ames Nursery, Ames, Ia., rounded out the panel discussion by describing various techniques he uses to train new sales personnel. Mr. Cafferty has



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Management Symposium

A symposium on garden store management and stocking completed the afternoon program. Sam R. Zickefoose, superintendent of central stores at Iowa State University, opened the presentation with a discussion of small business management. C. B. Handy, C. P. A. on the staff at the university, reviewed some of the basic principles of accounting and demonstrated the interpretation of a typical balance sheet, a statement of capital and an income statement. The advantages a garden center operator might find in utilizing a commercial bookkeeping service were also pointed out.

Climaxing the program was a discussion of garden store stocking, presented by Vic Foster, Foster's, Inc., Waterloo, Ia. Mr. Foster stated that the volume of the garden store market amounted to \$4 billion in 1960, including expenditures for nine categories of merchandise, of which nursery stock, seeds and bulbs represented about 221/2 per cent of the sales. The ninth and largest category included miscellaneous garden supplies and equipment handled by the garden store. This amounted to 371/2 per cent of all sales.

The speaker pointed out that, although it might not seem to be pertinent, the cost of doing business is highly important to the garden store operator. The one basic figure that can be used to arrive

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at this figure is the square foot sales cost, which can be fairly easily determined. Mr. Foster showed that by this device the garden store operator might be able to eliminate some items from his stock that should never have been purchased. However, all slow movers are not necessarily to be removed from stock, since there are many items that are handled merely as a matter of store identity.

Another topic that was discussed by the speaker was that of turnover. There are two kinds of turnover that are of interest to the garden store operator; namely, capital turnover (net sales divided by capital investment) and inventory turn-

over.

Mr. Foster concluded by stressing the importance of inventory records. He noted that by maintaining a simple inventory record the operator can do a better job of buying and know which items do nothing but tie up money.

CARE WITH CHEMICALS

The introduction of chemicals into the agricultural field and into horticulture particularly has been marred, in almost every instance, by the mistakes of those who employed the chemical products without sufficient information or who did not exercise sufficient care in their application. Thus it was with fertilizers in early days, then with insecticides and fungicides, more lately with the rootstimulating hormones and recently in regard to weed killers.

The names of products suggested, and in some cases recommended, for the control of unwanted vegetation of various types seems almost endless. No one product seems to be effective for any number of weeds and at the same time harmless to the plant growth to be protected.

To those who know how to use them, there are many good and effective products. But those inexperienced should go slow in their application and make certain, by preliminary trials, that the right one is used at the proper strength and time.

IOWA-ILLINOIS ELECTION

W. I. Huddleston, Moline, Ill., was elected president of the Iowa-Illinois Association of Professional Landscape Men and Nurserymen recently. Others elected to serve the group were C. A. McCrory, Davenport, Ia., vice-president; William Koellner, Davenport, Ia., secretary, and Ralph Bingham, Moline, Ill., treasurer.

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No. 2000. Rose plant. By Eugene S. Boerner, assignor to Jackson & Perkins Co. A new and distinct variety of rose plant of the hybrid tea class, character-ized particularly as to novelty by the unique combination of tall and vigorous shoots on which the flowers are borne; distinctive thorns which have straight points and large, flat bases; exception-ally large flowers; a high-centered hybrid tea flower form, and a distinctive general color tonality of the flowers corresponding to light orange yellow, lightly over-cast with grenadine pink.

No. 2001. Chrysanthemum plant. To Orville O. Dunham, Niles, Mich., assignor to George J. Ball, Inc., West Chicago, Ill. A new and distinct variety of chrysanthemum plant, characterized as to novelty by the strong pink to deep pink color of its blooms; the very double arrangement of its petals; the vigorous, more compact habit of growth; more abundant, larger foliage; the large size of its blooms, and the early, continuous and long blooming period.

No. 2002. Chrysanthemum plant. To Orville O. Dunham, assignor to George J. Ball, Inc. A new and distinct variety of chrysanthemum plant, characterized as to novelty by the moderate pink and strong orange color of its blooms: the fully double arrangement of its petals; the large size of its blooms; the tall, upright habit of growth, and the early, continuous and long blooming period.

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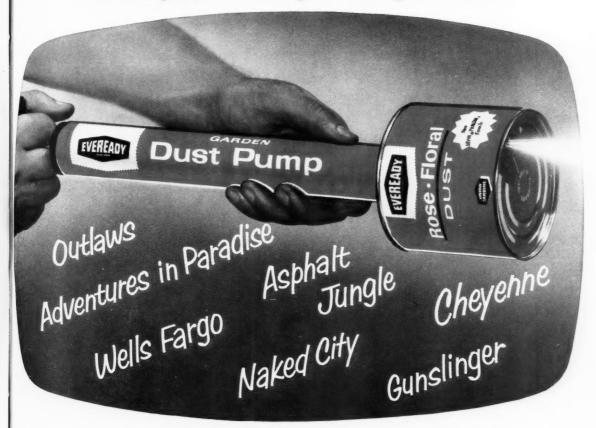


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